

## WICKERSHAM DODGED PREVENTION OF STEALS

### HIS FAILURE TO ACT A SURPRISE

Anyway It Surprised Glavis and Hoyt at That Time, Says Latter on the Stand Today

### EVERYBODY DUCKED THE ISSUE

Witness Today Tells How Ballinger "Protected" Himself and Saved by Others

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 19.—This was a field day for "the prosecution" in the Ballinger-Pinchot congressional inquiry. A new witness, Henry M. Hoyt, corroborated in detail, certain of the testimony previously given by L. J. Glavis, and Attorney Brandeis, in Glavis, introduced documentary evidence tending to sustain much of the "prosecution's" contention that R. A. Ballinger, as commissioner of the land office, had personal direction of the Alaska coal land investigation.

Hoyt was formerly assistant district attorney at Seattle, and is the man on whose advice Glavis testified to having brought to the attention of the attorney general the necessity for an opinion which should overrule that of Assistant Secretary Pierce on the construction of the law, May 28, 1908.

Besides corroborating Glavis' statements, Hoyt gave some further details as to Ballinger's connection with the Wilson coal case, as an attorney prior to his appointment as commissioner.

### Objected to Love

Attorney Brandeis introduced reports from special Agents H. K. Love and H. T. Jones. Glavis, on March 14, 1908, wrote to the commissioner (Dennett) stating that he did not believe in Love's participation in the Alaskan investigations from the fact that he was a candidate for marshal there and had personal friendship for certain of the claimants. This was backed up by a further report inclosed with this letter, made by Special Agent Jones, in which the latter related that Love asked to be excused from signing his (Jones') report adverse to twenty-six of the Cunningham entries. Jones in his report states that he learned later that Love had previously and without his knowledge sent a report of his own volition to the office, recommending that certain of these entries be "clear listed" for patent.

Subsequently, according to the documents introduced by Brandeis, Dennett, the commissioner, wrote to Love demanding an explanation of this. To this Love, April 16, 1908, replied that he did not recommend clear listing for patent on these entries but raised the question as to the regularity, although he had previously clear listed them. According to further documentary evidence, Love testified that he had an interview with Commissioner Ballinger in Seattle in which the latter expressed the opinion that the plan for a combination of the Cunningham entries before patent would invalidate the entries.

### Hoyt Withdrew Name

Another point made by Brandeis, was when Hoyt testified it was on his own volition that he stipulated that the name of Ballinger be omitted from the record in the Wilson coal cases, because he feared that persons might draw conclusions that Ballinger (then commissioner) was mixed up in a scandal and fraud. He said that Ballinger's name appeared 15 or 20 times in the record.

Attorney Vertrees, in his cross examination of Hoyt, scored one for the Ballinger side when the witness made it clear that the existence of the alleged ex-crow agreements which Glavis said he understood Ballinger had drawn up for Watson Allen, was in doubt. Hoyt testified that Allen and two of the Wilson claimants had sworn in court that there was no ex-crow agreement.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 19.—When the Ballinger-Pinchot hearing was resumed today before special congressional investigating committee, Attorney Vertrees, on behalf of Ballinger, said that he had no more questions to ask L. E. Glavis, the chief prosecuting witness. Attorney Brandeis immediately called to the stand Henry M. Hoyt, attorney general for Porto Rico, and formerly assistant district attorney at Seattle.

Before dismissing Glavis, Chairman Nelson asked Attorney Brandeis, representing the "prosecution," whether he desired a re-direct examination of the witness.

"My re-direct examination," Brandeis said, "will consist merely in introducing further documentary evidence."

## RIOTERS GIVEN NO TIME TO DISPERSE

35 Business Men who Formed Cairo Mob Fired on Without Chance to Escape, Is Charge

### FEELING HIGH AGAINST BLACKS

Lynchers Say Business Men Composed Party; No More Violence There Today

CAIRO, Ill., Feb. 19.—The situation is quiet here today. Troops patrol the streets in the downtown section and a guard stands in front of the jail, but no attempt at violence has occurred since the killing Thursday night of Alexander Halliday and the wounding of four other members of a mob that attempted to take two negroes from the jail and hang them.

The officers fear, however, that a serious outbreak may occur at any time and they will not relax their vigilance today or tomorrow. Feeling over the affair is bitter. It is declared that the men who composed the mob that tried to raid the jail are prominent business men, that the attempt was planned as a warning to negroes, and that its failure has increased the bitterness against the blacks here.

### Only 35 Citizens

A man who is said to have belonged to the mob tells a story of the affair different from that told by the sheriff and his deputies. He says the mob was composed of business men. They had expected to meet two other divisions that would have increased their ranks to hundreds. However, the divisions failed to join. So the little band that started out originally, numbering only 35 persons, marched to the jail.

"We expected," this man said, "to carry out the lynching quietly. We intended to gain admission to the jail and to overpower the night guard, then take the negroes out and hang them. We were never more surprised in our lives than when Sheriff Nellis and the guards fired on us."

"We did not have any opportunity to disperse and we did not fire at the jail."

### Fired Without Waiting

The man declared that the sheriff ordered the mob to disperse and then, without waiting to give any opportunity for the command to be carried out, the deputies fired.

The officials indignantly deny that they fired before the mob was given a chance to leave. They declare that the holes in the jail windows are sufficient evidence that the mob fired a volley at the officers. The mob members and their friends say that the windows were broken by the deputies, who pushed their guns through to fire at the crowd.

It is said that political feeling has played a strong part in the race troubles at Cairo. The feeling against the negroes taking part in factions is one of the features. It is said that one political faction declares that negroes are protected for their votes and the protest against this protection has taken the form of attempted mob violence.

### Negroes Saved

John Pratt, the negro causing the outbreak, and eleven other negroes were hustled out of the city shortly before daylight today. They feared for their lives and they confessed to various crimes so that they might be protected from the infuriated citizens by the authorities.

The negroes were rushed from the jail to the train in the police wagon, under guard of eight militia men and two deputies. The streets were almost deserted at the time and no demonstration was made.

Adjutant General Dickson, who is now in charge of the situation, has ordered Lieut. Col. C. E. Rymas of Effingham to come at once and take active command of the troops. The fourth company of militia will arrive at one o'clock this afternoon. It is Company I, in charge of Captain J. J. Bullington.

A message from Vandalla says the company, consisting of forty men, is now aboard a special train. Their arrival will increase the number of troops to 145.

It is reported that an investigation will be made into the condition of the local company of militia for failing to respond promptly to the order of Sheriff Nellis on the night of the outbreak.

Mrs. Wm. Maloney, whose purse was seized by John Pratt, the negro, who was hastened to the penitentiary today, discussed the shooting of Halliday.

"This is what the people of Cairo get through politics for the sake of

## FARMERS RECEIVE RECOGNITION FOR CONTRIBUTING TO THE UPBUILDING OF AGRICULTURE



G.C. HILL



S.A. KNAPP



H.A. BRIGGS

MADISON, Wis.—Last week for the second time in the history of agriculture three farmers were given special recognition for their efforts in up-building agriculture throughout the United States. This recognition was given by the College of Agriculture of the University of Wisconsin. The testimonials were presented to George C. Hill of Rosendale, Wis.; Hiram A. Briggs of Delavan, Wis.; and Seaman A. Knapp of Washington, D. C.

George C. Hill has rendered eminent services to agriculture in Wisconsin as a leader in the organization of farmers' clubs as an institute worker and as one who has advocated higher ideals and thus elevated standards of many farmers throughout the state.

Herman A. Briggs is a typical product of the rural conditions in this state. He early became interested in the livestock business and took up the breeding of horses. In 1887 he went to France and imported some of the best Percheron stock and urged this horse for Wisconsin farms. Through farmers' institutes, with which he has long been connected, and through his relations to the College of Agriculture, Mr. Briggs has rendered the state high service in promoting the development of horse breeding in this state.

Seaman A. Knapp was born and educated in New York, graduating at Union College in 1886 with the degree of A. B. After several positions as professor he settled on a farm in Iowa in 1886. He became an important agricultural writer and edited a journal published at Cedar Rapids. In 1894 he inaugurated under the United States department of agriculture the farmers' co-operative demonstration farm work in Texas, which work has now been extended over 12 states, with 375 agents in the field. During the season of 1909 over 45,000 farmers came directly in touch with these demonstrative farms. He has been recognized by the University of Wisconsin because of his great contribution to improved agriculture through the development of the demonstration system of teaching better farm methods.

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## ALASKAN MILLIONS THIEVES ARE SEEKING

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 19.—Dazzling figures of Alaskan wealth, particularly as to the value of the Cunningham claims were given by Stephen Birch, managing director of the Alaskan Syndicate, composed of J. P. Morgan & Co., and the Guggenheim brothers, before the senate committee on territories today.

Birch said the syndicate bought the Bonanza mine field of 3,240 acres for \$3,000,000 and that now there is six million dollars worth of copper ore in sight. This showing is the result of the development of only a small part of the field.

The syndicate has an option on the Cunningham coal claims which have not been delivered because Cunningham and his associates have been unable to get patents from the government.

The plan of the Morgan-Guggenheim syndicate to develop this coal was to organize a corporation with \$5,000,000 capital, of which the syndicate was to get half by paying Cunningham and his associates \$250,000.

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claims are a part, the deposits aggregate 500,000,000 tons of workable coal. Birch said that practically all the land had been purchased from the original owners. A few tracts had been ordered from the government.

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## HOTEL LAW IS SOLD ONCE MORE

Carroll Bros. and Sullivan Dispose of Property to W. Atchison, Ex-Manager of Sanitarium

In circuit court this morning a motion for the appointment of a receiver for the Law hotel property was made by J. D. Sullivan, one of the proprietors of the institution, and granted by the court, but in the meantime a reconciliation being made between the proprietors of the hotel, Carroll Bros. and Sullivan, the place was sold to William Atchison of Prairie du Chien, Wis.

Mr. Atchison is a well known business man of Prairie du Chien having been clerk of the court there for eight years, and having since he was succeeded in office been the manager of the Prairie du Chien sanitarium.

Messrs. Carroll left for Prairie du Chien today.

## INJUNCTION REFUSED IN SWOPE CASE

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 19.—Judge Powell of Independence, Mo., today refused to grant an injunction requested by the Swope attorneys, forbidding the taking of further depositions in the libel suits brought by Dr. B. C. Hyde. The deposition taking continued today. The attorneys for the Swope hoped to show that the depositions were taken for the purpose of establishing the line of evidence that will be used against Hyde if he is arrested on the warrant charging him with the murder of Thomas H. Swope.

Dr. Ludwig Hektoen, the Chicago chemist who examined the bodies of Col. Swope and his nephew Chrisman Swope, today testified before the grand jury that is investigating the death of Col. Swope.

## SELLS PEARL STREET PROPERTY

John C. Kroner today transferred to Adam Kroner a piece of property on Pearl street, between Third and Fourth streets, for a consideration of \$2,250. The property is located just east of the alley on the south side of the street.

## PHILADELPHIA CAR STRIKE ON

Discharge of Hundred for "Good of Service" Big Strike Is Ordered by Union Today

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 19.—Following the dismissal of several hundred trolley men by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company, "for the good of the service," National Organizer Pratt of the Amalgamated association of Street Railway Employees, this afternoon ordered a strike of union conductors and motormen. He takes the ground that the company had virtually ordered a lockout and for that reason ordered the men to turn in their cars.

Soon after the wholesale dismissals the local union of the Amalgamated association issued the following statement to the delegates of the different unions throughout the city:

"The Philadelphia Rapid Transit company discharged more than a hundred of our men 'for the good of the service.' There is nothing whatever against these men except that they belong to the union. They are among the best men employed by the company."

"You are hereby instructed to order every union man in your barn to take his car into the barn at 1 o'clock today, Saturday, Feb. 19, 1910, and allow it to remain there until the company signs an agreement guaranteeing us twenty-five cents an hour and protecting our right to belong to the union."

## LEWIS FAVORITE IN PARIS BOUT

PARIS, Feb. 19.—Harry Lewis is a favorite over Willie Lewis in their fight at the Cirque de Paris tonight. Floyd McFarland, the bicycle rider, offered \$2,000 on Harry at even money but could find no takers. He then offered the money at 10 to 9 but still no money appeared.

## DENIALS ARE BOGUS

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The London press attaches no significance to the denials of Premier Dragomiris of Greece and other Greek diplomats and politicians that there is an open breach between the army and navy.

## DAVIDSON OUT FOR JOB AGAIN

Henchmen of Governor Are Circulating Petitions "Asking Him" to Run Again

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 19.—(Special.)—Petitions are being circulated throughout the state asking Governor Davidson to stand for re-nomination. The executive is urged to lay aside his prospective entry into business at Stoughton which he claimed he would make, and seek another term in the governor's chair.

These petitions are being circulated by Davidson's allies and henchmen and it has been understood all along that the governor really had no intention of retiring or entering business, but that instead his intention by Davidson's allies and henchmen for "vindication" his administration.

## NO SETTLEMENT OF S. M. SCHEDULES

The long standing complaint of the towns on the Southern Minnesota division of the Milwaukee road as to the schedules of the trains was heard before the railroad rate commission of the state of Minnesota at St. Paul yesterday and it is understood that no definite settlement was made. Superintendent E. G. Perkins of the division was present at the meeting, but could not be reached today for his version of the case. The towns along the road were well represented, among those present being R. E. Thompson of Preston, Minn.

## MACVEAGH MAY QUIT CABINET

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 19.—Secretary of the Treasury Franklin MacVeagh may not serve out his full term as a member of President Taft's cabinet. The heavy strain under which he has been working has gradually told on his vigorous constitution with the result that he has been confined to his house for the last month with the exception of an occasional attendance upon a cabinet meeting and a few visits to the department.

## ORPHAN SUES FARMER WHO MADE HIM SLAVE

### BIG COUNTY ROADS CONTRACTS LET

Committee Meets the Town Chairmen in Clerk's Office Today and Bids for Paving Considered

### E. S. MEAD COMPANY GET TWO

Bidding Is Lively, There Being Several Bids for Every Job; Figures Are Close

At noon today the special county committee on road improvement and the town chairmen of the several towns represented in the appropriations for road improvement made at the last session of the board, held a meeting in the office of County Clerk Rawlinson and awarded the contracts for county road work for 1910. The work will begin as soon as the frost is out of the ground, and all will be completed before September.

John Jungen was given the contract for macadamizing the St. Joseph's ridge road for \$800. Twelve hundred and fifty feet of the highway is to be macadamized.

### Stone Company Gets One

The La Crosse Stone company secured the contract for furnishing material for the improvement of the French Island road which is to be macadamized with limestone. The company agrees to furnish Nos. 1 and 2 crushed limestone at \$7.85 per cord and limestone screenings for this work at \$6.60 per cord.

Contracts for furnishing material for the macadamizing of the north and south Salem roads were awarded to the E. S. Mead Stone company. The company agrees on the north road to furnish Nos. 1 and 2 crushed rock and screenings, including rolling with a steam roller at per cord \$8.90. Material consisting of Nos. 1 and 2 crushed rock together with screenings including rolling with a steam roller will be furnished on the south Salem road at \$6.

### Other Bidders

Other bids were as follows: The E. S. Mead company offered to furnish material and roll with a horse roller the French Island road at \$8 per cord.

William Haas offered to macadamize the Mormon Coulee road all complete for 65 cents per lineal foot, or he proposes to lay limestone macadam on the road ten inches deep at the center and six inches deep at the sides for a distance of 700 feet at \$4.

In the town of Greenfield the La Crosse Stone company offered to construct 1250 feet on the St. Joseph Ridge road for \$8, or the company offered to build 1235 lineal feet of road with gravel binder for \$1,000; or, the company offered to build 1235 feet of road with limestone screenings for binder at \$1,000.

The company also offered to furnish Nos. 1 and 2 crushed limestone and screenings for this road at per yard \$1.73. For macadamizing in the town of Shelby the La Crosse Stone company offered to deliver Nos. 1 and 2 crushed limestone at per yard \$7.90.

## STR. YUCATAN LOST; PASSENGERS SAVED

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 19.—Advices from Juneau, Alaska, today report the arrival there of sixty passengers and a part of the crew of the steamer Yucatan which was wrecked by an iceberg near Chigof Island three days ago. The steamer Georgia took the passengers to Juneau. They report that not a life was lost, despite the desperate condition of the vessel after the wreck.

During the heavy snow storm on Wednesday night the vessel collided with a large iceberg. A hole was stove in her side and she started to sink. Captain Porter ordered her to run for Mud Bay, but she ran up on a reef and the passengers and crew had to take to the life boats. The vessel sank in five fathoms of water an hour later.

The survivors of the wreck put up crude tents to afford shelter from the cold until the Georgia picked them up.

## TRADESMAN WINS DUEL

PARIS, Feb. 19.—Marquis Camille, the Spanish military attaché in London, today fought a long and bitter sword duel with a Paris merchant named Payer. The tradesman wounded the nobleman several times.

## OLD SETTLER IS DEAD

H. H. White, an old settler of Stoddard died at his home there on Wednesday at the advanced age of 81 years. Death was due to old age.

## SOUPAN WORKED; OTHER TOOK PAY

Sensational Case Showing Injustice to Parentless Children Revealed Today

### RENTED HIM OUT FOR PAY

Boy Now of Age Sues Tollefson who Profited and Gets Salary

Joseph Soupan, formerly an inmate of a Milwaukee school for dependent children, is today suing a La Crosse county farmer to whom he was bound out to learn the farmer's trade by the school, on the ground that the farmer hired him out to another man and collected his wages, practically making him a slave to the man to whom he was leased.

Soupan was 17 years of age when he was placed in the custody of Tollef Tollefson, the defendant in the action, and he worked steadily on Tollefson's farm for two years, at the end of which time Tollefson leased out his farm. He then bound out young Soupan to a farmer named Fred Sprain, who paid for his services the sum of 14 a month. The boy worked here eight months and Tollefson collected all of his wages.

Last December Soupan became of age, and he then made demand upon Tollefson for the \$112 which he earned while in the employ of Sprain. Tollefson refused to pay over the amount, with the result that young Soupan brought an action against him through his attorneys, Wolfe & Wolfe of this city. The suit is being tried in justice court before Justice C. W. Hunt today.

### A Form of Slavery.

Attorneys for the boy argued before the court that the law is plain in such cases, for the reason that if farmers were allowed to secure orphans and then bind them over to others, and collect pay for their labors, it would create a condition of slavery unparalleled in the country since the old slave days. If this were permitted, argued the attorneys, a farmer could send to the orphanages and secure orphans by the hundreds, then hire them out to other farmers and enrich themselves upon the labors of the orphans. The law specifically provides, argued the attorneys, that when an orphan is bound out to a farmer, the farmer agrees to keep the boy or girl and provide for them and not bind the orphan out to others.

Judge Hunt this afternoon awarded young Soupan a judgment for the entire month's salary, together with the costs of the action.

## TILLMAN ALIVE, BUT CAN'T TALK

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 19.—A slight improvement in the condition of Senator Tillman was reported this morning following a fairly restful night. He seemed able to recognize members of the family, though his power of articulation is now completely suspended and probably destroyed. Almost complete paralysis of his right side has followed a cerebral hemorrhage of the left side of the brain.

The following bulletin was given out by Dr. Tickford and Dr. J. W. Babcock, the senator's family physician, at 2:40 o'clock: "Condition unchanged since morning. Absence of further unfavorable symptoms gives encouragement."

### MRS. SHERMAN RESIGNS

Mrs. H. M. Sherman who for the past two years has been secretary and manager of the La Crosse School of Music has resigned her position with the school.

## THE WEATHER

Coldest at La Crosse, 4 below; warmest, 16 above; wind, 4 miles; precipitation, trace. Forecasts till 7 p. m. Sunday: For La Crosse and vicinity: Probably snow tonight, and Sunday; warmer. For Wisconsin: Probably snow tonight and Sunday; warmer. For Minnesota: Increasing cloudiness with probably snow late tonight and Sunday; warmer tonight. For Iowa: Snow tonight and Sunday; warmer tonight.





# TONIGHT! — SUNDAY MATINEE — AND NIGHT —

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**ARREST FRAUDULENT PRINTER**  
DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 19.—Former State Printer Mark Slater, implicated in gigantic graft in that state by his former partner's testimony, was arrested here by Detectives Stanton and Dowden representing the Columbus authorities. He signified his willingness to return to Ohio without requisition papers.

### TAFT TO SING FOR IRISH IN CHICAGO

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 19.—Arrangements were completed at the White house for President Taft's whirlwind campaign in New York state following his visit to Chicago

On March 17, when he will sing the "Wearin' o' the Green" with the Irish Fellowship club.

On March 15 the president will go to New York to attend the annual dinner of the American Society of Foreign Wars. From there he will go to Chicago.

#### Made It Clear.

Jim had never learned to read by the ordinary methods the face of the old eight-day clock. It pleased his long-time employer, however, to ask him the hour and hear his answers.

"Jim, what time does the old clock say?" he asked one evening, when he had callers. "Step out in the hall and see."

Jim was gone several minutes, but returned with a beaming face.

"Ah—Ah—waited jes' a minute to see which'd get ahead, de shot' one or de long one," he said. "Wen I went out dey was bofe on de lef' han' windin' place, sah. But de long one, she clip it up good an' libely wen she see me watchin' out, an' now she's 'bout a inch ahead, sah."—Youth's Companion.

**WESTERN UNION MAN RESIGNS**  
NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—J. C. Barclay, assistant general manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company, has resigned. No case is made public.

### MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

#### MINNESOTA EDITORS CHOOSE OFFICERS

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 19.—The following officers were chosen by the State Editorial association in session here yesterday: President, Harry S. Saylor, Buffalo Journal; first vice president, S. Y. Gordon, Brown's Valley Tribune; second vice president, F. E. Hadley, Winnebago City Enterprise; third vice president, W. F. Mahler, Springfield Advance; secretary, C. P. Stine, St. Paul; treasurer, David Ramaley, St. Paul; executive committee, C. C. Whitney, Marshall; Frank J. Meyst, Minneapolis; and W. E. Easton, Stillwater; historian, Alvah Eastman, St. Cloud Journal-Press.

#### REPLEVINS CORPSE FROM MEDICS SCHOOL

IOWA CITY, Iowa, Feb. 19.—The dead body of Rolland Caldwell, a pioneer of Iowa, sold by his widow to keep the wolf from the door after his death, will be recovered from the Iowa college of medicine at the state university by Mrs. Mary Main of Evanston, Ill., a daughter of the dead man.

A writ of replevin, sworn out in court and followed by two days of legal bickering and fighting between attorneys for Mrs. Main and the officials of the university, will be the means of obtaining the body.

Mr. Caldwell died several days ago, leaving nothing in cash or property on which his widow could live. Only a few years the junior of her husband, who was 80 when he died, Mrs. Caldwell faced absolute want. Neighbors suggested to her that she sell the body to the medical college.

#### GORDON ANNOUNCES HE IS CANDIDATE

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 19.—S. Y. Gordon of Brown's Valley, is a candidate for lieutenant governor of Minnesota. Mr. Gordon is editor of the Interlake Tribune of Brown's Valley and attending the meeting of the State Editorial association. His name was suggested for the office by brother editors and not of his own motion and the boom grew so fast that he received endorsements from a large section of the state press.

#### DISCHARGED CHERRY MINER TRIES MURDER

CHERRY, Ill., Feb. 19.—An attempt to assassinate one of the St. Paul Coal company's bosses added to the tragedy of Cherry's mine disaster on Friday.

A dismissed employe stepping up behind Charles Atherton, known as the top boss, whipped out a revolver and crying, "To pay you back!" fired three shots. Atherton fell, probably fatally wounded.

The shooting occurred in the midst of the work of recovering the 177 bodies which have been entombed in the mine since the fatal fire of Nov. 13.

### WISCONSIN NEWS

#### BOY AND GIRL DIE IN LAST EMBRACE

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 19.—With arms locked about each other in a last embrace, Mary Keuhnelein, 15 years old, and Edward Kufahl, 21 years old, were found dead on the floor of a barn in the rear of a saloon one mile north of the city limits this morning. Each had written a note and swallowed the contents of a bottle of carbolic acid.

The girl was the daughter of John Keuhnelein, milk dealer, and Kufahl was the son of another milk dealer. For the last two weeks he has

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### THE BREAKFAST QUESTION





Mark Smith and Jas. O'Neil, Jr., in "The Traveling Salesman," La Crosse Theater, Tonight.

been working for the girl's father, and it was said that he had intended to take over his business. The couple became acquainted while delivering milk together in Milwaukee. They had been riding together for several hours each morning.

Kafahl, according to gossip in the neighborhood was to have married another girl.

A man should always learn to give and to receive, before he learns to buy and sell.

It does seem as if a man might reasonably nurse an ambition to one foot in the trough.

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#### LANTERN EXPLODES; ONE IS KILLED

OSHKOSH, Wis., Feb. 19.—Edward Quinn, a fireman at the sash and door plant of the R. McMillen company, is dead from being badly burned Friday morning. August Zuehlke, assistant fireman, is badly burned about the face, but will recover. A lighted lantern caused an explosion in the sawdust in the firing room.

Kick a man when he's down, but watch out for him when he gets up.

### LA CROSSE STEAM DYE WORKS, 112 N. 5th St.

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Ladies' Skirts dyed and pressed, regular price \$1.50, next week .....	\$1.00
Ladies' Waists dyed and pressed, regular price \$1.00, next week .....	65c
Ladies' Jackets, short, dyed and pressed, regular price \$1.50, next week ...	\$1.00
Ladies' Jackets, medium, dyed and pressed, regular price \$2.00, next week ...	\$1.35
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2-Sunday 7,807	18-Tues 7,773
3-Mon 7,807	19-Wed 7,771
4-Tues 7,803	20-Thur 7,773
5-Wed 7,826	21-Fri 7,769
6-Thur 7,814	22-Sat 7,775
7-Fri 7,794	23-Sunday 7,781
8-Sat 7,797	24-Mon 7,781
9-Sunday 7,787	25-Tues 7,779
10-Mon 7,787	26-Wed 7,783
11-Tues 7,791	27-Thur 7,811
12-Wed 7,782	28-Fri 7,805
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this thirty-first day of January, 1910.

A. E. BLECKMAN, Notary Public.

## FOR M. O. CURRENT

A suggestion recently made in relation to lighting and power for the schools may be of general importance to this city when treating the subject of current for all municipal light and power. It seems so pertinent to the situation that The Tribune suggests to the North Side Progressive League that in its pending appeal to the state commission a ruling covering the point be sought. It is as follows:

Every city in which a commercial company exists has the power to build and operate a municipal electric plant. Incident to the power to build and operate, of course, is the right to distribute the current thus manufactured, for strictly municipal purposes. The question which was raised is, "as a city has the right to manufacture and distribute for its own use, has it not the right to purchase current from competitors of the franchised company, in lieu of manufacturing, and to build a distribution system to deliver the current? The effects of municipal manufacture and distribution are the same as those of municipal purchase in a competitive market, and distribution. The thing sought in each case is economy.

The state commission recently fixed rates which the La Crosse Gas & Electric Company may charge for current, basing the rates upon what it called a "reasonable earning" on investment. Since that time the gas company has made a profitable contract with the La Crosse Water Power Company, whereby it shuts down its plant and buys current at a low figure. The Progressive League now says to the commission that the public should have, if not the entire profit of that contract, at least a share in it, and that its share should be distributed by means of a reduction of the rates.

If the rate commission does not

order the reduction thus asked for, it would seem wise for the taxpayers to seek other redress. It seems hardly possible, although the question is new, that the commission will refuse to permit the city to contract directly with the Water Power Company for current for municipal purposes. The poles of the commercial company are at the service of the city. The city could string its wires for schools, public buildings and street lamps, and might even find it profitable to electrify the power house. This distribution system would be no waste, for it at any time change in conditions should make purchase of current undesirable, the municipal plant authorized by the last city election, and so persistently forgotten by the city administration, could be erected.

**THE CITY MISSION**  
Interest in the City Mission as an agency for the moral and spiritual uplift in La Crosse, is growing with appreciation of its achievements. Under the intelligent management of A. M. Ivey this institution compelled public recognition, and Superintendent H. Norton who succeeded Mr. Ivey within the year, has prosecuted the work with a vigor and fearlessness which have stamped him as quite the man for the difficult mission of which he is in charge. Persistent effort has done enough to justify the expense of the Mission many times over, its success having been such as to raise the question of whether it should not be regarded in the future as the chief agency of humane work here.

We desire to call attention to the annual report of the Mission, which appears elsewhere in this issue. It deserves the consideration of the public, as every citizen should know what work is being attempted and what accomplished. The Mission work bears about the same relation to the affirmative moral culture of the community as reclamation does to conservation in the treatment of natural resources. Many are saved, and that we now and then hear of a "backslider" merely emphasizes the fact that good is being done, for the subject cannot "backslide" until he has been forward.

Some recommendations in the report would seem to justify support of a more liberal nature than has been accorded in the past, and The Tribune would like to see a wider range of people taking material interest in the Mission. The rescue work for girls is particularly deserving, and it will be strange if its agitation by Supt. Norton does not create sympathy and support among the women of La Crosse.

## CONSUMER REALLY DOES EXIST

Senator Elkins of West Virginia has admitted the existence of the ultimate consumer. Even more assuring is the reluctant, if tacit, admission by Senator Lodge of Massachusetts that there is cause for an investigation of the high cost of living and that the consumer has a right to demand a hearing. It was Senator Lodge who, in his near-infinite wisdom, declared in the course of the tariff debate at the special session that the ultimate consumer was a myth. Now the Massachusetts senator is to head a committee to investigate the high cost of living.

The consumer, however, should not become over-enthusiastic. The senate committee may be relied upon to present a formal restatement of the statistics gathered by the standpatters in the preparation of the tariff bill in the form of a brief defending the tariff. The consumer must not hope that the tariff will be condemned in the house of its ardent partisans.

The part taken by Senator Elkins in the consideration of the resolution for the appointment of a senate committee to investigate the high cost of living is particularly interesting, as it throws a striking sidelight on the methods by which Senator Aldrich has dominated action on the tariff and upon most other matters before the senate. Senator Elkins had offered a resolution providing for the investigation, but the finance committee, of which Senator Aldrich is chairman, offered a substitute, which almost drove the West Virginia man off the reservation. "It seems," he said, "the finance committee is de-

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termined to control this investigation, just as it did the tariff."

There's a frank confession, to say the least. The country has suspected that it was Senator Aldrich and not the congress that framed the tariff bill, and now confirmation comes direct from a senator who long has stood as an ultra-protectionist. It is true that Senator Elkins became a near-insurgent at the special session until Aldrich granted concessions by which Senator Elkins' coal fields in West Virginia were protected from competition with the pauper coal of other countries, but since that time he has been in line with the standpatters on every issue. Still, he is indignant enough over the slaughter of his cost of living resolution to tell some truths about the tariff. In the course of his remarks on the subject, Senator Elkins said:

"It was pretty near his (Aldrich's) production in the senate, for whatever he said, I think, controlled whatever went into the tariff bill and what was left out."

That was getting pretty close to a real description, but the West Virginia senator supplemented and emphasized it a little later in his talk when he said:

"I could not get off the reservation during the consideration of the tariff. I was afraid to try. The distinguished senator from Rhode Island (Mr. Aldrich) knows why. The senate knows why. But now I have a little more sea room."

"I generally go to my friend, the distinguished senator from Rhode Island (Mr. Aldrich), when anything is not going right and ask what is the matter. He generally puts me right, or he says—when the tariff bill is under consideration—'You had better keep right where you are, if you know what is good for you.'"

Senator Aldrich had a club. Senator Elkins admits it and, incidentally, explains why senators were held so firmly for the Aldrich tariff. Nothing more seems to be needed to define the definite force in politics known as Aldrichism. It is not a fad or a fancy, but a real, vital force which many senators appear to fear to oppose. Senator Elkins admits that the Aldrich collar galls his neck, but he is compelled to wear it. The rebellion in his bosom was short lived, but it furnished an interesting symptom of the growing revolt against Aldrichism and Cannonism.

The case against Aldrich is made out by Senator Elkins, attorney for the defense.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Alderman Marvin on the witness stand wanted to tell the city attorney and captain of police who the real violators of the closing law are. He was promptly "sat on." This is a good law abiding town and the police "don't want no slurs cast."

"Perjury has been committed," declares Judge Higbee. What's to become of the men who depend on witness fees for about half their income?

City Attorney John Doherty says he is about to collect that two per cent tax from lighting company, he says.

That the manifestations of friendly interest upon the part of followers of Aldrich and Cannon toward progressive congressmen, is but a play for time, and that they really are seeking a good place in which to sink their axes when opportunity presents, itself, is the substance of a warning published by the Red Wing Republican.

## NEW MONUMENT TO HENRY CLAY



Monument as it Appears Today

LEXINGTON, Ky.—On April 12, in the Lexington cemetery, there will be set in place a new monument to Henry Clay. It will be mounted on the hundred foot shaft which has stood in the cemetery since Mr. Clay's burial here in 1852. This monument is to replace the one which was struck by lightning in July, 1903, knocking the head from the figure and splitting the body in the manner shown on the shoulders of the picture.

For the new monument, the Kentucky legislature appropriated \$10,000.

## SPOTLIGHTS

## TRAVELING SALESMAN TONIGHT

The only play that ever received the endorsement of the United Commercial Travelers of America and the Travelers' Protective association is "The Traveling Salesman." James Forbes' latest comedy, which Henry B. Harris will present at the La Crosse theater tonight.

Incidentally it is the only play ever written that truthfully depicts what most interesting of all American characters, the modern commercial traveler.

"The Traveling Salesman" will be seen here with the same company that contributed to its enormous New York and Chicago success. Prominent in the company are Mark Smith, James O'Neill, Jr., Clifford Stark, Lawrence Sheehan, Theodore Kehrwald, Daniel Jarrett, Guy B. Hoffman, Emma Shackelford, Robert Hamilton, Miss Miriam Nesbitt, Miss Diana Hunker, Miss Marion Stephenson and Miss Virginia Hamilton.

## TOMORROW'S PLAY

The attraction at the La Crosse theater tomorrow afternoon and evening will be H. H. Frazee's production of "The Girl Question," a musical play by Adams, Hough & Howard authors of "The Time, the Place and the Girl," and is along the same lines of human interest embellished by dashing songs and dances and pretty chorus girls. There is side splitting fun resulting from witty dialogue and humorous situations, as well as an absorbing plot. The chorus contains 50 Blue Ribbon show girls and the \$1,000 beauty "Brollers." The production was staged by Mr. G. Marion which is a guarantee of success.

## MAY ROBSON

Here is a part of what the New York Herald of November 14th had to say about May Robson, who comes to this city Friday, Feb. 25th:

"Standing like an oasis in a desert of dreary and weary plays, 'The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary' with May Robson in the title role will be held by many as the best comedy seen here this year. This statement, while it may seem extravagant, is entertained by the audience which greeted the opening performance. To miss this play is to miss one of those rare and delightful treats which come but seldom in a theatrical season."

## AT THE MAJESTIC.

A wonderfully clever scene acted entirely by cockatoos portraying "The Shipwreck," is shown at the Majestic next week. Mme. Orban has educated her birds to the limit, and their wonderful obedience is a thing to marvel at. The story told commences with the "all aboard," when the captain of the ship rings the bell for the last passengers who are seen walking up the gang-plank carrying their grips. The anchor is heaved and the sails for the ship set all by cockatoos, and then the audience sees the voyage commenced.

As the storm is heard approaching the cockatoos furl the sails, and when the storm gets greater in force they fire a distress gun and also send up fires of distress to attract attention. The crew and passengers then set about throwing the cargo overboard, and when this has been completed to the satisfaction of the captain the passengers are rowed ashore in the lifeboat and all saved. Another feature of this excellent bill is the team of international instrumentalists, Newell and Niblo, who have one of the finest musical acts on the road today. They are saxophone and xylophone virtuosos, and have a reputation all around the world, having played successful engagements in Great Britain, Ireland, Scotland, Russia, Belgium, Germany, France, Switzerland, Austria, South Africa and Canada. They are now touring the United States for the first time.

The Three Sisters Kelsey, who are coming next week, are eccentric singers and dancers whose act is described by managers elsewhere as the "Jewel of Feature Acts." They carry an elegant wardrobe and introduce many dance novelties of a high class.

To replace the act of the famous Tossing Lavalles, the popular La Crosse team of acrobats which was billed for this house for this week, but unexpectedly transferred to the coast circuit, Manager Koppelberger has secured the four Johnson students, "Clubmaniacs." This is a

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## Future Conversation

When June is gone and August heat brings terror to mankind There is a comfort all complete That I shall daily find. I'll half forget the torrid spell The loitering sun has cast. About the weather then I'll tell Of February last.

## I'll talk of blizzards that unwound

Their endless scarfs of snow; And of cold waves that came around And simply would not go; Of icy pavements where we fell While o'er us laughed the blast. I'll fan myself a bit and tell Of February last.

## Ah, these things yet shall be a joy

For memory to recall. When flowery sweetness comes to cloy And languorous days befall. These chill events may serve us well, Though now we stand agast. 'Twill ease the summer when we tell Of February last. —Washington Star.

## A Bill Nye Story

The following anecdote appeared in the first number of the Bookman and has just been reproduced in that magazine. It concerns Edward W. Nye (Bill Nye), who made, we are informed, a short speech at an author's dinner in London that was much relished by the bookmen present, including the publishers, at whom it was indirectly aimed. "Just a year ago," he said, "I was walking on the principal street of Indianapolis, when I met a man whose appearance showed that he was reduced to the very depths of poverty. His clothes were ragged, his face unshaven, his hair long and matted and his feet unshod. As I passed him a look of recognition came into his eyes. 'Nye, old fellow, don't you know me? Don't you know Abel P. Jones, who was your classmate at college?' 'What Jones? Is it really you?' 'For Heaven's sake help me. I am starving. Lend me half a dollar.' 'I felt in my pockets. They were empty. I had no money myself. But a bright thought flashed through my mind. 'Abel, I can't lend you the half dollar; I haven't got it. But look

straight comedy dancing and juggling act and is described as eight minutes of continuous laughter. The act is entitled "Exceeding the Speed Limit."

"Levin's Old Shoes" will be put on here next week by Lew Welch & Company. Mr. Welch needs no introduction to theater goers, as he has for several years starred in the "Shoemaker" company, which appeared in almost all of the big cities of the country. The act is a high class one and there are many clever features to it.

Miss Ida Aiken, La Crosse's most popular soprano, who was last week secured by Manager Koppelberger to succeed Miss Marie Garlin as soloist at the new theatre, has a treat for music lovers this week in a pretty ballad by Edward Madden, entitled "By the Light of the Silvery Moon." This ballad is a very musical one and well suited to Miss Aiken's wonderful voice, and is accompanied by unusually pretty moving pictures. Miss Aiken will choose her encore numbers from her large repertoire of popular songs.

here, I'll tell you what I will do; I'll let you publish my next book."

"Gentlemen, that was just a year ago; and this month Abel P. Jones sent me an invitation to go to Europe with him in his steam yacht."

## Misplaced His Meat

A Norborne man bought 20 cents' worth of steak and received a nickel in change. When he got home he couldn't find the meat. At last, he discovered the nickel in his coat pocket. That gave him a clue, and, opening his purse, he found where he had put the steak.—Kansas City Star.

## The Woman and the Dog

A crowd gathered at Tenth and Barton streets to watch a handsome fox terrier that was running about nose in the air. White froth was running from the dog's mouth.

"He's mad!" yelled a fat man.

The fox terrier stood in the center of the group, with wide-open eyes, either too mad or too frightened to move.

At this juncture the policeman arrived. A dozen voices began to tell him that the dog was mad; that it must be killed; that it had been snapping at the children; that it began to froth when it passed a pool of water, and how best to shoot.

A tall, quiet-looking woman pushed through the crowd and started toward the dog. A dozen men yelled at her, two or three men grabbed at her.

She picked up the dog and started out of the crowd. The policeman stopped her with:

"Madam, that dog is mad. He must be shot. Look at the foam coming out of his mouth."

"Foam!" she said contemptuously. "That's a cream puff he was eating."

—St. Louis Dispatch.

## How She Suffered

"Ah," she sighed, "for many years I've suffered from dyspepsia."

"And don't you take anything for it?" her friend asked. "You look healthy enough."

"Oh," she replied, "my husband has it—not I."—Human Life.

## Giving His Parents a Shock

Young Edwin Higbee made his parents quiver their respiration and look up from their papers the other evening in a hurry.

"Father," began the young man, "how far should a fellow go with a girl?"

"Why, er-uh—that depends," stammered William T. Higbee, the parent. "What do you mean?"

"Well, I went just so far as I could. I didn't know whether she or her folks would like it if I went any further. So I guess—"

"How far did you go?" broke in the father, excitedly, wondering what sort of a messalliance in the family he might have to face some day with such a Don Juan for a son.

"Oh, I didn't go any farther than the gate. I had a notion to walk clear up to the door, with her, but I didn't know whether I ought to or not, so I just stopped at the gate and said good-bye and—"

The parents were already breathing deep sighs of relief.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## Aroused Suspicion

Once upon a time, when Senator Robert Taylor of Tennessee was "Fiddling Bob" Taylor, and on a lecture tour, he picked up an old railroad man who was on the bum and transported him north from Louisiana. The bum was an interesting fellow and the governor enjoyed his conversation immensely. While the train was rolling along between Lake Charles and Alexandria, on a branch of the Texas railroad, it entered a thick pine forest. All of a sudden it stopped. A lone flagman's shanty was the only sign of human habitation. A passenger on the train grabbed a small handbag and got off the train.

"Governor," said Senator Taylor's bum friend, "a man that gets off at a place like this is guilty of something."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

## Stolen

Aunt Hetty—What's the matter, Eben?

Uncle Eben—Well, of all the brazen things I ever saw! The city paper has deliberately copied that patent medicine ad about St. Hopkins being cured of influenza by using Dopeman's pills that was in last week's Hardscrabble Clarion.—Judg.

## Another Bathing Mystery

Uncle Hiram (looking at bathtubs in a plumber's window)—Well, I swan! I've heard that these here New Yorkers are pretty nervy, but I never supposed they had the cheek to take a bath in the front window!

## TEACHERS PREVENT PANIC

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 19.—Coolness on the part of the teachers in the high school at Imperial near here today prevented any loss of life in a fire that destroyed the high school and four other buildings in the center of the town. The pupils were marched to the street in good order soon after the building was found to be ablaze. Eight families were rendered homeless by the destruction of a tenement.

## FATAL EARTHQUAKE

CANEA, Crete, Feb. 18.—Many buildings were damaged here today by a severe earthquake. So far no deaths have been reported in this city but a report from Varpetro says that six bodies have been taken from the ruins there.

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## PAYS PENALTY IN SUGAR FRAUD INVESTIGATION



Oliver C. Spitzer at right, Marshal Henkel at left, as they boarded the train for Federal Prison at Atlanta.

NEW YORK.—Oliver C. Spitzer is now in the federal prison at Atlanta as the result of the exposure of sugar frauds. He was formerly the dock superintendent for the Sugar trust, and is one of five little victims of the trust. With him were convicted four \$18-a-week employees, checkers in the hire of the trust. These men were sentenced to one year each on Blackwell's Island.

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## DETECTIVES SEEK BOX CAR THIEVES

The C. M. & St. Paul has been troubled for a long time by having cars broken into at North McGregor. Detectives have been working on the case, but the guilty party was not apprehended until now. The night of January 23 a merchandise car was opened and two cases of shoes and a number of dressed chickens were taken. The man tried to dispose of a pair of the shoes at a store there and this led to his undoing. A search of his home revealed finding hidden away 23 pairs of shoes, a sack containing the heads and feet of the chickens, a large jar of chickens cut up and salted, some of the chickens had been sold and shipped to Mason City; several hundred pounds of flour, which had been emptied into grain sacks; besides other things.

## SWITCHMAN BAEK LOSES HIS LIMB

Mancy Baek, son of Mrs. Henrietta Baek of Portage, was run over by a locomotive in the Milwaukee yards, yesterday, and his leg was cut off below the knee. Baek is a switchman and is well known to local brakemen and trainmen running into Milwaukee. The injured man was taken to a hospital, where his wound was attended to. At the last reports he was doing nicely. Mr. Baek is married and has a daughter.

## NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

The funeral of August Erickson was held at the residence at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. Vik officiating and Undertaker Sletten in charge. Interment was made in the Oak Grove cemetery.

Rev. T. T. Hovstad of Preston, Minn., is in the city today visiting friends.

Passenger train No. 55 on the Milwaukee was over an hour and thirty minutes late today.

The train service into the city today is still in a poor condition because of the prevailing cold wave.

The South Side bowling team won two out of three game from the Rubber Mills team at the Combination alleys last night.

Mrs. T. Allen has disposed of her interest in the tailoring establishment at 1113 Caledonia street to Lord Brothers.

The Owls held a regular business and social meeting at the Woodmen hall last night.

Mrs. Charles Bacon who has been the guest of Mrs. W. B. Horner, 1808 Kane street, has returned to her home at Caledonia, Minn.

Mrs. B. M. Tamper, who has visiting friends on the North side, has returned to her home at Minneapolis.

Miss Minnie Grant who fell on an icy walk several days ago is about, being entirely unharmed.

The Rev. A. A. Randall, who leaves next week for Indiana, will preach at the Caledonia Street Methodist church Sunday morning.

## IN THE CHURCHES

St. Peters Church  
Usual services Sunday.

Norwegian-Danish M. E. Church  
Norwegian-Danish M. E. church, Berlin and Sill streets, I. T. Slaatto, pastor.—Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.; morning worship at 10:30.

German M. E. Church  
German M. E. church, corner Clinton and Berlin streets, Rev. W. J. Witter, pastor.—Sundays, school at 9:15 a. m., preaching service, 10:30. Evening service, 7:20. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. German school in reading, writing and catechism Saturday morning at 9:30. A cordial invitation is extended to the German public.

Norwegian Lutheran Church  
Corner Charles and Sill street. Rev. T. O. Vik, pastor. English services 10:30 a. m. Evening service 7:30. Sunday school at 9.

North Presbyterian  
Corner Logan and Avon streets. Sermon at 10:30 a. m. Evening service at 7:45.

Norwegian Bethel  
Rev. O. L. Christianson, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m. Evening service at 7:45 p. m.

German Lutheran Church  
The Immanuel German Lutheran church. Services evening at 8 p. m. Sunday school at 11:15 a. m.

Trinity Lutheran Church  
Trinity Lutheran church, Avon street. The pastor, Rev. L. S. Markvik, will conduct services Sunday morning at 10:30 and also English services Sunday evening at 7:45. Lenten service Monday evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 9 a. m.

Caledonia Street M. E. Church  
Caledonia Street M. E. church, Rev. A. V. Ingham, pastor. Morning, 10:30, "The Divinity of Christ." Second in series on the Apostles' creed. Evening, 7:30, "Shall Dancing be Permitted in the High School Building?"

Scandinavian Baptist Church  
Corner Charles and Logan streets. Services every Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday school from 12 to 1:00. B. Y. P. U., 6:30. Evening service, 7:30. Weekly prayer meet-

## The Health Dept.

In your bodily system is looked after by millions of little soldiers in your blood—those corpuscles constantly fighting for you.

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ing Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Tabernacle Baptist Church  
Corner Avon and Clinton streets. H. Norton, superintendent of the city mission will preach at both morning and evening services, 10:30 a. m., subject, "The Triumphant Christ." 7:30 p. m., "Is the Man a Highly Developed Monkey or What the Bible Says He is."

## LONGWORTH DEFENDS ATTORNEY ELLIS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 19.—Congressman Nick Longworth (R., Ohio) figuratively put on the boxing gloves in defense of Wade Ellis, assistant attorney general of the United States, and chairman of the republican Ohio state executive committee, who was attacked on the floor of the house two or three days by Representative Mann (R., Ill.). A clean knockout was scored by Mr. Longworth and Mann did not come up after the count.

"The gentleman from Illinois," cried Longworth, "is a very good Hamlet and as such, plays the part well. But once in a while he tries to play Ophelia, the king and queen and first grave digger all at once."

Longworth read a letter from Attorney General Wickersham in which the latter took upon himself the responsibility of the letter written by Ellis to the chairman of the house judiciary committee urging an additional federal judgeship in Ohio. Mann had criticised the letter very severely.

In his speech today Longworth maintained there was nothing wrong with the missive nor with Ellis. During Longworth's speech Representative Sherley (D., Ky.) tried to get in a question but failed.

"I want to ask him," cried the Kentuckian, "if the reason that Mann is playing so many parts in Hamlet isn't because there's something rotten in the state of Denmark?"

## TRIBE OF INDIANS HELP UNCLE SAM

Uncle Sam found the Indian such a good workman in the year 1909 that he has formed an entirely new opinion of that erstwhile troublesome person.

Of course there are still many red men on reservations living off the bounty of this government and showing no disposition to get out and earn a living, but their number is becoming smaller every year.

Last year the Blackfeet tribe put their shoulders to the wheel and made the reclamation services Blackfeet project in Montana a big success. Other kinds of labor, says the Van Norden Magazine, simply could not be had. So the red man was the sole reliance of Director Newell.

As in the case of the Apaches of Arizona, the Blackfeet proved to be men of their word. They wanted to know just how many hours they were to work and the character of the work they were to do. Then they went at it with a will, and never did they shirk or make excuses.

Once the time for quitting came, however, they knocked off with all the eagerness and promptness of union men. They displayed remarkable intelligence and eagerness to learn. Moreover, they gave evidence of a desire to take up the ways of the civilized, to live in houses and observe the laws of health.

## SENATORS TO POLE; PEARY THE CAUSE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 19.—The sending of half a dozen senators and half a dozen representatives to the north pole to look for the records left by Peary was suggested by Representative Butler (R., Pa.) a member of the naval affairs committee of the house. He advanced the idea because the committee had decided to defer action regarding the promotion of Peary until the explorer had furnished congress with proofs that he did indeed find the pole.

With the primaries coming on it may be well to remind candidates who are marked for defeat that in Proverbs xxxi, 7, they will find these words: "Let him drink and remember his misery no more."

## BEACH'S Peosta Soap

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If people would eat more bread the problem of the high cost of living would be solved. It has been scientifically proven that bread and milk and milk toast are nearly an ideal diet; that they will sustain a human and keep him in good physical condition longer than any other single diet.

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## TO FIND SITUATIONS FOR COLLEGE WOMEN

Mrs. Henry Wise Miller is chairman of the committee in charge of the employment bureau of the Barnard College Alumnae association. The object of this committee is to find employment for Barnard girls who are working their way through college and for graduates. According to Mrs. Miller there is a good demand for college trained women as stenographers and private secretaries. She has had applications from lawyers and the heads of large business houses who say that they want women with brains who have been taught to work independently, and to get such women they are willing to pay a minimum salary of \$100 a month.

Mrs. Miller finds it hard to get college women to fill such places.

This is said to be the first employment bureau established by a woman's college. The system is the same as that employed in the men's university clubs of New York and the work has increased so much since the bureau was established a few months ago that in another year it will be necessary to engage a paid worker who can give it her entire time.

How "Pop" Billings Got a Bargain.

C. K. G. Billings, who has paid a larger sum of money for trotters and pacers to drive on the road and amateur matinee races, and owned more of them, than any ten horse lovers in the country, tells of a very sad experience in the first horse he ever owned in his life.

Oh, for a world in which people would not "sit up and take notice."

## AMERICAN GIRL WON BY DIPLOMATIC ATTACK



Miss Constance Hoyt and Mr. Ferdinand von Strumm.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The engagement has just been announced of Miss Constance Hoyt, daughter of Former Solicitor General and Mrs. Hoyt, to Mr. Ferdinand von Strumm, attaché of the imperial German embassy. Both parties are well known in the younger social circles and extensive entertainments are being planned by their friends. The date of the wedding has not yet been announced but it will doubtless take place during the spring months. Mr. von Strumm has been in the diplomatic service of his country for some time.



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It will broaden the chest and overcome round shoulders. It brings superb strength, firm buoyant muscles, and develops the whole figure. It gives a new impetus to the blood and produces a clear, transparent complexion. This means form, health, strength and beauty.

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To the Public:  
Notice is hereby given that  
I have engaged in the business  
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3rd floor, New Majestic Bldg.  
New phone 1049-C.  
Your patronage is solicited.

## BARRY TAGGART

\$25 Reward.

The undersigned, La Crosse City  
Railway Company, will pay \$25 to  
any person furnishing information  
which will lead to the arrest and con-  
viction of the person or persons who  
rang the signal bells and interfered  
with the operation of street car  
about 2 o'clock a. m. of February  
8, at Fourth and Main streets.  
Dated this 15th day of February,  
1912.

LA CROSSE CITY RAILWAY CO.

A stitch in time spoils a job for  
the tailor.  
The blind-piggy has to sleep with  
one eye open.

The Fair Rates and  
Large Subscribers' List  
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"NEW PHONE"  
Make It The Popular Ser-  
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## PERSONALS

The best yet, the new pop!  
Manager W. J. Ferris of the La  
Crosse Water Power company is in  
Chicago on business.

Big reduction in furniture prices  
at Nelson's.

A meeting of the ordinance com-  
mittee will be held tonight to con-  
sider the Burlington sidetracking  
and Day plumbing ordinances it  
is planned to bring up at the special  
meeting of the city council Monday  
night.

Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting phys-  
ician and surgeon.

Peter Valier, general manager of  
the La Crosse City Railway company,  
has returned from St. Louis, where  
he transacted business.

Rugs and carpets must get at  
slaughter prices, at Nelson's.  
D. Butten, P. F. Cavanaugh and  
L. E. Egan and wife of La Crosse are  
registered at Milwaukee hotels.

Mr. Albert Verse has accepted a  
position as stenographer and book-  
keeper with the La Crosse Street  
Railway Co. He is a graduate of  
the Keefe Business College, corner  
Sixth and Vine streets.

"The Kissing Girl," the musical  
show now playing at Minneapolis,  
managed by Will Molitor, formerly of  
this city, and which was to have ap-  
peared here next month, will be taken  
off the road next week and will  
not come to La Crosse.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women  
La Crosse has 114 1/2 miles of ce-  
ment sidewalks, costing approximat-  
ely \$290,915.68. All of this excepting  
the little corner portions, which  
were put in by the city, have been  
paid for by private property owners,  
as the street improvements are paid  
for by the owners of abutting prop-  
erty.

Miss Emma Witte has taken a po-  
sition as stenographer with the Sal-  
zer Seed Co. She has been attend-  
ing the Keefe Business College for  
the past five months.

Card party and dance Sunday,  
Feb. 20, given by the Governors'  
Guard association.

Rev. J. E. Ayscue Sunday evening  
will deliver his last of a series of  
lectures on the negro question at the  
First Baptist church.

Nelson's big clearance sale still  
doing business.

Vesper services at the Y. W. C.  
A tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock  
will be addressed by Mrs. Robert  
Lowery on "Tomorrow." There will  
be special music.

Mrs. Ernest Horner has returned  
to Onalaska after spending a few  
days here with Mrs. E. Nichols.

Mrs. W. T. Robertson of Ferry-  
ville visited in town Thursday.

C. Alesch of this city visited with  
friends at Arcadia Wednesday.

Nelson's clearance sale this month  
will be a money saver.

Hans Olson and Anton Anderson  
were La Crosse callers from Coon  
Valley the first of the week.

Mrs. O. Storaandt of Onalaska is  
visiting friends in town this week.

Hans Simonson of Holmen is at  
the Lutheran hospital for treat-  
ment.

C. J. Smith of Viroqua is in La  
Crosse for a few days' business visit.

A. L. Fischer of Madison is spend-  
ing Sunday with friends in this city.

M. P. Gulden of Wykoff, Minn.,  
is a business visitor in La Crosse for  
a few days.

S. Meineke of Milwaukee will  
spend Sunday with friends in this  
city.

Lace curtains at Nelson's are to be  
sold at one-third off during Nelson's  
big sale.

Emil Olson, proprietor of the Ho-  
tel Stoddard barber shop has pur-  
chased residence property in the ex-  
treme southern end of the city and  
will next spring begin raising chick-  
ens for market.

Mr. John F. Doherty, city attorney,  
gave the last of a series of lectures  
on National, State and Municipal  
Government Friday afternoon at the  
Keefe Business College, to a very  
large and appreciative audience.

H. D. Proctor of Viroqua is the  
guest of friends in the city.

Mrs. Stengrim Olson, Fifth and  
Winnebago streets is seriously ill at  
her home.

The Young Peoples' Society of the  
West Avenue Lutheran church was  
entertained at the church parlors  
last evening by the Misses Jessie and  
Bertha Limoseth. There was a  
large attendance and a good program  
was rendered.

P. L. Bean of Bloomington, Ill.,  
is in the city for a few days' visit  
with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Hanson of  
Rushford, Minn., are visiting in the  
city for a few days.

Just a few more days of Nelson's  
slaughter sale.

Miss Lilly Whipple has accepted  
a position as stenographer in Mrs.  
Maurer's office. She is a Keefe  
graduate.

Miss Barbara Rarher went to La  
Crosse on the 14th.

Mrs. Heath attended the Ladies'  
Aid Society at Mrs. L. Woodhouse's  
at Riverside Thursday. Mrs. Char-  
ley Elgar drove down for her.

Moia Clements who has been at  
the St. Francis hospital at La Crosse  
for several weeks returned home on  
Thursday very much improved.

## LOW COLONIST RATES TO PACIFIC COAST.

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What solitude we can spare up for  
some other fellow's overworked per-  
sonal pronoun.

## HER LOOKS A SURPRISE

Says Mrs. Albert Root—to Her  
Friend—As a Result of Taking  
Cardui, the Woman's  
Tonic

Amanda, O.—"I was hardly ever  
without a headache, and often had a  
misery in my back and sides," writes  
Mrs. Albert Root, of this place.

"I was sick in bed one half of my  
time, and suffered a great deal from  
neuralgia of the stomach.

"Since taking Cardui, the woman's  
tonic, I have gained 10 pounds and  
now I can do all of my own house-  
work and washing and my friends  
say I look like a different person.

"Before I began using Cardui, the  
doctor said I would have to have an  
operation, but I would not hear of it  
and commenced using Cardui, which  
has helped me wonderfully."

Weak, delicate ladies need Cardui  
to bring roses into their pale cheeks  
and snap into their weary frames.

No other tonic or medicine can  
take the place of Cardui, because  
the principal ingredients are import-  
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are grown and gathered especially  
for us.

Cardui can only be bought at the  
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tles. Accept no substitutes, as the  
genuine Cardui is the woman's tonic  
about which you have always heard.

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## SOCIETY

IVANHOE 500 CLUB  
Mrs. A. Thatro of South Fifth  
street entertained the Ivanhoe Five  
Hundred club Thursday afternoon.  
Prizes were won by Mesdames Lee,  
Denney and Keegan. Mrs. Vondra-  
shek received the consolation and  
will entertain the club in two weeks.

SURPRISE PARTY  
Miss Frieda Ikert, 2506 Mormon  
Coulee road, was surprised by a  
number of friends Thursday, it being  
her twenty-first birthday. The even-  
ing was spent in playing cards and  
games, after which a dainty dish of  
Chinese chop suey was served. All  
reported an enjoyable time. Those  
present were Misses Anna Weisland,  
Clara Herlitzka, Esther Carr, So-  
phia Weisland, Laura and Frieda  
Ikert; Messrs. George Carr, H. Cook,  
Arthur Carr, S. Hepler from St.  
Louis and Frank and Mr. Ikert.

MISS WILLIAMS ENTERTAINS  
Miss Minnie Williams entertained  
at the home of Miss Darling, mem-  
bers of the Sunday school class of  
the First M. E. church. A candy pull  
and music were the features and a  
pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by  
the guests.

ENTERTAINS AT THE LA CROSSE  
Mrs. C. A. Hunt entertained last  
evening a few friends at Hotel La  
Crosse. Covers were laid for six. The  
guests were Mesdames Harvey Green,  
F. J. Fullmer, Fred Rau, T. J. Far-  
lan and S. L. Bowlby.

MRS. W. G. MOSS ENTERTAINS  
Yesterday afternoon Mrs. W. G.  
Moss entertained a number of la-  
dies at a coffee. There were twenty-  
five invitations given. This was the  
second of a series.

MRS. MORLEY ENTERTAINS  
Mrs. F. A. Morley has been hostess  
at several pleasant affairs during  
the week. Monday the members of  
the Embroidery club were entertain-  
ed. It was in the nature of a valen-  
tine party. The rooms were decorated  
with festoons of hearts and other ap-  
propriate devices.

Wednesday afternoon the Wo-  
man's club held a social afternoon at  
the home of Mrs. Morley. The deco-  
rations consisted of hearts and the club  
colors, gold and white, in crepe pa-  
per. The place cards were little Cu-  
pids. The scheme was exceedingly  
pretty and effective.

Friday Mrs. Morley was again hos-  
tess at a luncheon. The guests were  
Mesdames M. F. Mosher, Charles Doty,  
Kinnear, Eberhart, Hopkins, In-  
gham, Bullock, Gage and R. H. Wil-  
lard.

WOMAN'S CLUB  
Yesterday the members of the La  
Crosse Woman's club were entertain-  
ed at the home of Mrs. George W.  
Leuck in honor of several of the  
members who are about to remove  
from the city. Mrs. A. A. Bentley,  
who will soon go to South Dakota,  
Mrs. J. L. Dodge, who will make her  
home in Minneapolis, and Mrs. Long,  
who has gone to Milwaukee. A very  
delightful and interesting program  
was given during the afternoon  
hours.

SOCIAL BRIEFS  
Miss Mattie Robinson of West Sa-  
lem is seriously ill. She is under  
the care of Drs. Wakefield.

Miss Barbara Anne Russell of Evan-  
ston arrived in the city and will  
be the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Al-  
fred Grams, for a few days.

Mrs. F. B. Smith of the Stoddard  
will leave Sunday night for Chicago,  
where she will visit Mrs. David Al-  
ler.

Archie Larson will leave Sunday  
night for Madison, where he is at-  
tending the university.

Miss Frances Clarke will leave  
Sunday night for the east, where she  
goes to buy equipments for boys'  
clubs and visit kindergartens in New  
York and Boston. Miss Clarke is di-  
rector of Mrs. Heart's Home State  
Free Kindergarten school at Lead,  
S. D.

The Pythian Sisters will give an  
entertainment in the K. P. hall Mon-  
day evening. Refreshments will be  
served.

The Y. P. S. of the Norwegian  
Lutheran church will give a Wash-  
ington supper Tuesday evening from  
5:30 to 9 o'clock at the church pa-  
rlors, corner Sixth and Division  
streets. The ladies will be dressed  
in colonial costumes.

The teachers of the public schools  
of the city have been granted their  
visiting day Monday, which  
will give them quite a little outing,  
which some will take advantage of to  
visit their homes and friends. Miss Do-  
herty will go to St. Paul, Miss Benzel  
to Beaver Dam and Miss Hektoen to  
Westby.

Mrs. A. L. McIntosh of Viroqua  
was in the city yesterday visiting  
friends.

SURPRISE PARTY  
Miss Olga Lund was pleasantly  
surprised last night by about twenty  
of her friends. The evening was  
spent in playing games and refresh-  
ments were served at a late hour.

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## BURFORD DIVORCE GRANTED TODAY

Mrs. Burford Given Decree on Familiar "Cruel and Inhuman Treatment" Grounds

On grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment Mrs. W. D. Burford was today granted a divorce from her husband, W. D. Burford, in circuit court before Circuit Judge E. C. Higbee. The case was argued last afternoon and continued until this afternoon, when the decree was granted.

## ODDS 10 TO 7 ON UNDEFEATED CHAMP

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—On receipt of news today from California that Clarence Berry, the oil and mining operator, had bet \$2,000 to \$1,400 on Jim Jeffries, Charles Sutor, taking the Johnson end, these odds of 10 to 7 were posted today.

## FAMOUS ACTOR GONE

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—After an illness of more than a year Neill Burgess, the famous old actor, died at his home early today. Burgess won his greatest fame in his impersonations of Tbilgall Prue in "The County Fair."

## TO-NIGHT Arcarets

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## KAISER IS NOT A "DIVINITY"

Sensational Debate Today in Reichstag, and Emperor Is Attacked by Socialist

BERLIN, Feb. 19.—The kaiser and Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg were execrated today in an uproarious debate in the reichstag by Dr. Franck, one of the leaders of the socialist group, who introduced an interpellation of the chancellor regarding his remark in a recent debate that manhood suffrage was an evil.

When Franck attacked the kaiser, Vice-President Schahn, who was presiding, called him to order and said that no speaker would be allowed to drag the kaiser's name into debate.

"I will say what I like about the emperor," Franck retorted. "I will discuss him as freely as any one else."

The chamber was thrown immediately into disorder by Franck's bold utterance.

The conservatives tried to shout the speaker but the socialists though outnumbered cheered and applauded wildly.

"We have no cause to shrink from mentioning the kaiser as though he were a divinity," shouted Franck. "I favor respecting the kaiser, but the reichstag must insist that the same respect that is given the kaiser and the law that creates him shall be given the reichstag and the law that creates it."

Today's debate was launched by the socialists who demanded to know why the chancellor, in a debate in the Prussian diet, denounced manhood suffrage as an evil.

The socialists declare the chancellor's attacks on manhood suffrage to be an attack on the constitution.

## RIOTERS GIVEN NO TIME TO DISPERSE

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the negro vote," she said. "It is for this reason that wives, mothers and daughters of law-abiding citizens have to go about armed for their own protection."

"Things have come to such a point that if the law cannot be extended to those who live in its bounds they are forced to protect themselves."

## Women Carry Guns.

"Most of the women of Cairo carry guns since the Peley incident. It is a case where the women of Cairo must protect themselves and I advise all who do not carry guns to do so. I have a specially made pocket in all my clothing in which to carry my gun."

Mrs. Maloney told about the attempt of Pratt to seize her purse. She said he ran up behind, grabbed it and tried to run. She pulled one way and the negro another. Then she drew her revolver and fired, the negro broke away, still holding the purse. Mr. Maloney chased him firing at him until her revolver was empty.

Later the negro was arrested as he was mailing jewelry taken from the purse.

His trial occurred late yesterday. He was indicted by the grand jury and rushed before the court where he was arraigned, pleaded guilty and sentenced. Today with the others who also pleaded guilty to various minor crimes he was taken to the penitentiary at Chester.

The shooting of Halliday has occasioned a bitter dispute between the sheriff, the coroner, physicians who attended Halliday and persons who openly sympathize with the mob.

## Might Have Saved Him

At the post mortem examination of Halliday's body it was discovered that the shot entered below the right ear and ranged downward, emerging from the back. Two vertebrae were shattered and the spinal cord injured, though not severed. The coroner declares the jugular vein was severed and that the injury was such that death was instantaneous. Dr. Walsh, the physician, who attended Halliday, declares the wound was not such as would cause instant death and that it is even possible that prompt aid might have saved Halliday's life since there have been cases where others so wounded have lived.

The fact that the body was allowed to lie in the snow for two hours after the shooting has caused the discussion. Sheriff Nellis says he was ordered by Governor Deneen to allow no one to enter the jail yard.

Mayor Parsons in a statement today, in which he says the city helped the sheriff, and declaring he believes in harmony between officials, sharply criticizes Sheriff Nellis for this action.

Mayor Criticizes Sheriff  
"If the president of the United States had instructed me to let Halliday's body lie uncarried for in the snow I should have disobeyed him. Feeling against the sheriff is very bitter."

The grand jury, no win session is today placidly investigating an alleged local ice trust. It was announced the investigation of the attempted lynching and the shooting of Halliday by the sheriff's deputies would probably be taken up Monday. The coroner's inquest is expected to begin today. Sheriff Nellis will be the first witness. All those believed to have been in the mob, and the deputies who were in the jail at the time of the shooting will be summoned.

If you must fight, hit first and hit hard; then help your adversary to dust his clothes.

There is no patent on gentility.

## PUBLIC LECTURES AT STATE NORMAL

Entertainment Course Is Announced, and Dr. Burton Comes on March 5th

Scarcely a week passes, certainly not a month, but some new and interesting feature develops at the Normal school—some new department added, or a new organization launched.

The latest feature of interest to both students and public is a lecture and entertainment course. After considerable effort, a short course of three—probably four—numbers has been arranged, all talent of high rank and of interest to the general public.

In this enterprise is no purpose to make money, either for any individual or institution, the aim being to bring to the student body and people of La Crosse who care for the best things such entertainments as have distinct educational and cultural value. Any money which may be cleared will go into the lecture fund with which to secure more numbers. The plan is to make the price uniform and very low, so that all who wish may take advantage of the entertainments. Since the Normal has its own large, well-equipped auditorium, it can make a rate, it is believed, of 25 cents to all students of the city and 50 cents to others.

## Dr. Richard Burton

The opening number will be "Ibsen and the Modern Drama" by Dr. Richard Burton, head of the department of English at the Minnesota University, to be given on Saturday evening, March 5th. Dr. Burton is probably the most eminent English scholar in the northwest. He is the author of a number of books, some three or four of which are in our public library. Moreover, he is a most thorough student of the drama, being himself a playwright; a contributor to many magazines of articles on various phases of exqu岸ite verses. In almost any issue of the popular magazines may be found one or more poems from his pen. Besides this Mr. Burton is a pleasing speaker, a person so much in demand that he is able to fill all the dates that he can spare outside his university duties.

This number will be followed early in April by a musical number which will be fully announced later.

The manufacturers of the union flour "Best of All" were the first in the world to put their employees on the eight hour day without reducing wages. Always ask your grocer for "Best of All" flour.

## STATE FIGHTS NEW TRIAL FOR HEDGER

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 19.—Another sensation developed today in the famous Hedger wife murder case, when District Attorney Backus decided to fight the application of the defense for a new trial on the strength of a witness named Brautigan, who claimed to have seen a man run away from Hedger house when the shot was fired that killed the woman. The state has secured evidence that Brautigan has been insane for twenty years.

Ward E. Hedger was recently convicted on circumstantial evidence of the murder of his wife, and after the conviction the defense claimed to have positive evidence from Brautigan that another person killed the woman.

## WOULD FIGHT SALOON MAN; IS ARRESTED

George H. Smith, a saloonkeeper, attempted to eject Earl Kirkpatrick from his place of business, where it is alleged he was creating a disturbance. The latter offered objection and knocked the saloon man down, with the result that a warrant was issued for his arrest and he appeared in county court this morning to answer to a charge of assault and battery.

Kirkpatrick entered a plea of guilty when arraigned before County Judge John Brindley and was assessed a fine of \$5 and costs, amounting to \$10.58, which he paid.

## Poor George Washington

He died before the advent of the American watch. Pity that the great man who was "first in war and first in peace" did not live to see the day when the American stem-winder was "first in the pockets of his countrymen."

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## TAKE CONVICTION TO CIRCUIT COURT

Otto Larson Appeals from Police Judge's Conviction of Drunkenness on Police Evidence

tion has always been to get another was filed with Clerk of the Court. Notice of appeal to circuit court of the city against Otto Larson, convicted some time ago before Judge Cronon on a charge of being drunk and disorderly in a public place.

Larson claims that his arrest on the part of the police was done maliciously because of a grudge which they had against him. The case will come to trial at the May term of court.

The Larson case is one of many growing out of the police feud which has been attracting much attention of late. It is claimed that because Larson "dared to sass" a policeman he was pursued and arrested without sufficient provocation. It is also claimed that his temerity in having Capt. Dugan arrested for assault, also increased the police hatred of him, and that these things, together with an alleged desire by the police to get revenge upon the lawyer which represented him, actuated them in their alleged persecution.

## CENTRALIZATION OF POWER TOPIC

At the La Crosse club this evening a special meeting of the joint committees appointed by the La Crosse Board of Trade and the Manufacturers' and Jobbers' club to investigate the matter of the government of cities by commission will hold a special meeting to discuss the matter.

Secretary Robert Calvert has secured from Madison, and from a number of the cities enjoying the new government plan, a large amount of literature regarding the commission form and members of the two committees have been carefully investigating the proposition. Much valuable information and many works pertaining to the subject have been obtained from the state capital library at Madison.

Members of the Manufacturers' and Jobbers' committee are J. S. Medary, Gysbert Van Steenwyk, Vincent Tausche, A. S. Farnam and D. W. MacWille.

The board of trade is represented by Frank Winter, A. L. Schubert and A. Hirschheimer.

## BIG MEMORINEE GAME TONIGHT

The La Crosse high team is all ready to meet the fast Memominee bunch tonight—and to beat them. This game means a great deal to the locals, as if they win, it will mean a chance to go to Appleton to compete at the state meet. The locals are in much better condition today than they were last Saturday for the Sparta game, and will fight hard for this game.

## AUTO CO. FORCED TO PAY CHARGES

Motion for a verdict of \$43.00 freight charges for the plaintiff in the case of The Fawkes Auto Company of Minneapolis against Jack Carroll of this city, was overruled by Judge Higbee in circuit court this morning.

The court held that the evidence showed that the payment of this sum had been voluntary on the part of the Auto company and that no such claim was included in the pleadings.

## PIONEER GROCER, H. G. MENTIS, DEAD

Death Came Last Night After Two Days Illness with Pneumonia; Grocer for Thirty Years

Henry Mentis, aged 65 years, died at 6 o'clock yesterday evening at his home, 1415 Jackson street, after a brief illness of about two days' duration. Attending physicians stated that he was suffering with a cancer of the stomach. Pneumonia, which set in, was the immediate cause of his death.

He is survived by his widow.

The funeral will be held at 9 o'clock Monday morning at the Holy Trinity church, Rev. Fr. Joerres officiating and Miller brothers in charge. Interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery.

Deceased was born in Germany and was one of the pioneer settlers of this city coming here about 35 years ago. He had been actively engaged in the grocery business for the past 30 years. He was a machinist and an engineer by trade and lived for some time in the state of Massachusetts.

## GERDLS ATTEND THE FUNERAL OF FATHER

Fred Gerd and E. A. Gerd of this city have returned from Cedar Rapids, Ia., where they were called several days ago by the death of their father, E. Gerd of that city. Gerd's death was caused by heart disease and neither of the sons in this city were aware that he was seriously ill until they received the message announcing his death. Interment was made in Cedar Rapids.

## NO CONVICTS WILL BE SEND BACK

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 19.—No prisoner of Illinois now at liberty on parole, granted in good faith under the now invalid parole act of 1899 and who has kept his parole in good faith, will have to return to prison. This means Stensland, Herling, Mrs. Romadka, Cooke and all others.

## HIS FAILURE TO ACT A SURPRISE

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dence and I will, if the committee desires, put that in later."

After being sworn, Hoyt said he had been at various periods special attorney of the department of justice and assistant states attorney for the state of Washington.

Brandeis' first question of the witness as to his opinion of Glavis' services to the government.

"His work was of a very high order," he replied. "He did it very intelligently and very thoroughly. I knew him most intimately."

Hoyt said he was associated closely with Glavis in the Wilson and Cunningham coal cases. From this Brandeis switched to the circumstances leading up to Hoyt's action in assisting Glavis to bring to the attorney general the question of assistant Secretary Pierce's decision on the coal land of May 28, 1908.

"It was in May, 1909," the witness said, "while I was in Washington that one day I found at my room a card from Glavis indicating that he desired to see me very much. I went down to the interior department and saw Glavis, and he at once informed me that he was in a very troublesome situation. We walked about the streets while he talked to me."

He said that if there was any decision on the law of May 28, 1908 in the interior department itself, it would probably be favorable to the claimants, therefore, he said to me that Mr. Ballinger, as a matter of self protection, could not afford to have those matters passed upon in the department because, he explained to me, that no matter whether that decision was made in the department or not, when it was learned that Ballinger had advised some of those coal claimants and heard of a decision being rendered in Ballinger's department, the public could not abstain from blaming him for that decision.

"After I had talked over the whole situation, I expressed a wish that something could be done to save the administration from what I thought a very grave situation. I told Glavis that Horace D. Taft, was a friend and classmate of mine and I believed I could run up to Connecticut, tell him about this, and have him take the matter up with the president. Finally, however, we abandoned that project."

"Then we discussed the probability of getting the attorney general to decide the matter. I knew the attorney general and told Glavis that I would see him and take up the matter."

"I saw Mr. Wickersham that day. I told the attorney general that the Alaska matter was something which would cause a very great scandal to the administration. I remember this specific remark, that unless steps were taken immediately it would be very difficult to retreat without a scandal, and if this next step were taken, that of clear listing these lands, it would, in my opinion, be entirely impossible to retreat. I told the attorney general that the most that could be urged against Glavis in the irregularity of taking the matter of a decision on this law over the heads of his superiors, was that he had been an over-zealous boy."

Continuing Hoyt related how surprised both he and Glavis were when there was nothing done after Glavis had seen the attorney general.

Brandeis next turned to the omission of Ballinger's name as counsel

## ONE MILEAGE FOR TRAVELERS

It will Not Be Necessary After April First to Carry Two Books

Salesmen and others who travel on the railroads a great deal in territory immediately tributary to St. Paul and in the northwest, including this city, who have been obliged to carry two mileage books to pay their fare on the various roads will only have to carry one after April 1, when the uniform mileage book will be issued.

The railroads after several years of effort, have finally agreed on a uniform mileage book which will be a great boon to the knights of the grip and the traveling public. This book will not only be good in the Western passenger territory but on the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern as far as the Missouri river.

The book is the new "Individual personal, non-transferable, 2,000 coupon ticket book," which will be on sale for \$40. The book is to be honored on the basis of one coupon for each mile of Western Passenger association territory, except in Missouri, where the rate is 2 1/2 cents per mile. In this state five coupons for each four miles will be detached.

In this state the Milwaukee, Burlington and the Northwestern will remove one coupon for each mile.

for the Wilson claimants and in the court record of the cases. Ballinger at that time, was commissioner of the land office. Hoyt said that he talked over the advisability of omitting Ballinger's name from this record because uninformed people might draw conclusions that Ballinger was mixed up with some fraudulent matters. Hoyt said that the attorneys for the Wilson claimants agreed to stipulate that Ballinger's name be omitted.

Hoyt declared that in pursuance of this agreement in reading over the record of the case, he marked several pages in pencil "omit Ballinger's name as stipulation."

Here the witness said that he had seen this record, with his pencil notations on it, since his arrival in Washington.

Brandeis was on his feet in an instant.

"You saw it here?" he queried.

"Yes, sir, Mr. Lawler, the assistant attorney general for the interior department had it."

"We've been trying to get that record for some time," said Brandeis. It was decided by the committee to have this record produced at once by Lawler.

## Didn't Know Magnitude

When Brandeis turned the witness over to Attorney Vertrees for cross examination, the latter plunged at once into the circumstances of the Wilson coal cases.

In response to one question, Hoyt admitted that he did not know at the time he took the matter up with the attorney general that the Cunningham group of claims were only a small part of the Alaskan lands. He said he was greatly surprised later to learn that they only comprised 5,000 odd acres and that there were only thirty-three claims in this group.

After a half hour's cross examination, Hoyt was excused from the stand and Attorney Brandeis began the introduction of a mass of documents, received from the interior department in response to his request.

## THE WEEK FINANCIAL

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—The weekly statement of the associated banks of New York as issued today follows:

Reserve on all deposits, increase, \$1,507,275.  
Reserve on deposits other than United States, increase, \$1,504,350.  
Loans, increase, \$307,300.  
Spec increase \$2,537,200.  
Legals, decrease, \$670,500.  
Deposits, increase, \$1,436,900.  
Circulation, decrease, \$479,400.  
Total loans, \$1,223,675,900.  
The surplus of the banks is \$26,360,350 against \$14,272,375 last year and \$47,300,825 two years ago.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—So far as the stock market was concerned today's events were a natural enough sequence to yesterday's and indeed to those of the three or four days preceding. Yesterday's market clearly reflected the parting maneuvers of speculators who had bought at the climax of the recent hysteria, who

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were not over anxious to keep their stocks and who wished to sell to the greatest advantage. Today the pressure of such secondary realising sales was followed by a slow receding movement in the course of which values got down very generally below yesterday.

There was no news to influence prices and none was necessary, the market's action was purely automatic. There were some indications that the focus of interest might next week be transferred to London where, at all events, there will be enough for financial markets to talk about, after Monday.

Our own markets have been so excessively self centered and for so long a time that it may be something of a relief to talk about other people's scares, misgivings and potential troubles. The day's market closed unsettled, with a few rather sharp declines at the very last.

## Night Coughs of Children

Dull boys! Dull girls! Dull men! Dull women! Heavy-headed! Downhearted! All very often due to constipation! Yet the cure is so easy—Ayer's Pills. Ask your doctor.

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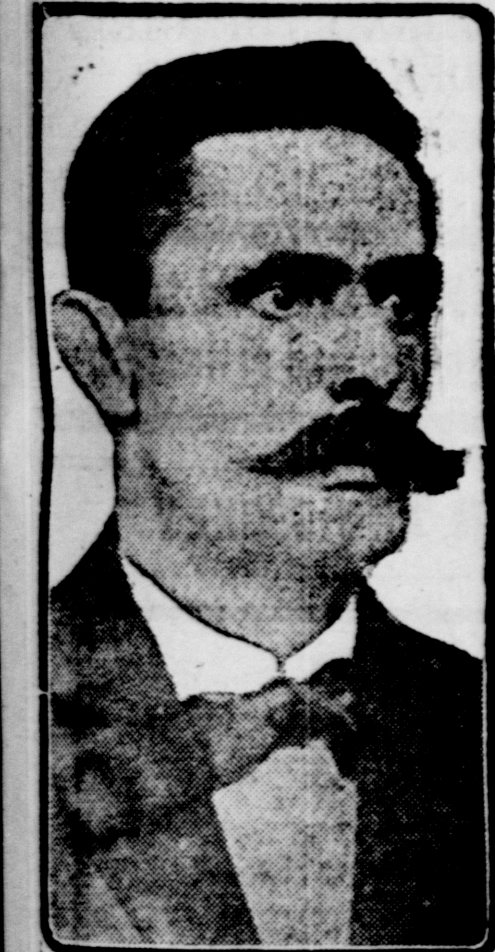
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## SPILLER DEPORTED FROM CANAL ZONE



W. P. SPILLER

COLON, Panama.—The trouble over the deportation of W. P. Spiller threatens to be taken to Secretary Knox on international grounds. Spiller is now in Washington to see the secretary.

His deportation was the outcome of charges that he was enticing laborers from the canal zone to work in Brazil. It was his custom, as charged, to visit the haunts of canal laborers.

## IN FOOD

What a Clergyman's Wife Found

The wife of a Minnesota clergyman found the solution of her troubles in a simple change of food of which she says:

"My case proves that proper food will cure almost any ill. For years I suffered from dyspepsia which became chronic and was treated by some of the most skillful physicians but was not cured.

"Medicine would help for a time but the old troubles would always return because the cause was still there, and kept me weak and sickly most of the time. I had the grip every year for five years, always suffered from colds and my whole condition showed that I did not get the proper nourishment from food.

"Finally I began eating Grape-Nuts according to directions. I may say that since that time my stomach has not troubled me at all but a remarkable change took place. All through the long cold winter I ate nothing but a saucer of Grape-Nuts and cream in the morning and no matter how severe the cold I did not suffer and I did not have the grip or even a cold.

"Grape-Nuts food certainly nourished me until I have a strong constitution, feel like a new person, and indeed never was healthier in my life."

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Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

## In The Churches

## First Congregational Church

Main and Seventh streets, Henry Faville, pastor. Morning worship at 10:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor. Morning theme, "The Only Begotten Son." In the evening the third sermon upon Universal Brotherhood, under the auspices of the Congregational Brotherhood will be preached. Topic, "The Encouragement in President Eliot's Religion of the Future." Special music by Prof. Harry Ross and others. Bible school at noon.

## First Methodist Episcopal

King and Eighth streets, Rev. A. Lincoln Shute, pastor. Class meeting, 9 a. m. Morning worship, at 10:30. Subject of sermon, "The Old Paths." Sunday school at 12 m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. At 7:30 p. m., the pastor begins a series of sermons on "The Christian," the first subject being "What is a Christian?" Mission study, Monday, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The Growth of the Christian—The Supreme Test." Eph. 4:7-15; Mat. 5:48; 1 John 3:1-3.

## First Baptist Church

First Baptist church, Sixth street between Main and King. Morning service, 10:30. Sunday school, 11:45. Colton Mission, 3 p. m. Young People's meeting, 6:30. Chorus rehearsal, 7:15. Evening service, 7:30. At the evening service the pastor will deliver his third lecture in the series on the negro problem, subject "The White Man's Burden."

## Emmanuel Evangelical Church

Emmanuel Church of the Evangelical association, Twelfth and Vine. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching, 10:30 a. m.; Y. P. A. meeting, 6:45 p. m.; preaching, 7:45 p. m. Wednesday, the 23rd, will be given a bazaar by the Ladies' Aid society of the Evangelical association, 2 p. m. to 7 p. m. in the basement of the church.

## First Church of Christ, Scientist

First Church of Christ, Scientist, King street, between Fifth and Sixth. Sunday services at 10:30 a. m. Subject, "Mind." Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:45 p. m. Reading room open every week day from 2 to 5 p. m. in the church.

## German Baptist Church

German Baptist church, corner of Seventh and Winnebago streets, E. Berger, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Sunday morning service at 10:45; evening service at 7:30. The pastor will preach at both services. Tuesday, Washington's birthday, the Ladies' Missionary society will give a social afternoon and evening at the parsonage, 721 Ferry street. Supper will be served from 5 to 8 o'clock. A good program has been provided. All will be welcome. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening Young People's meeting at the home of Mr. A. Kaaz, 1220 Mississippi street. Saturday afternoon at 2:30, sewing school.

## Y. M. C. A.

Y. M. C. A., Seventh and Main streets. Almer G. Gran, general secretary.—Men's meeting Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

## Y. W. C. A.

Vesper services Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

## Peoples' Sunday School

Peoples' Sunday school meets in Traveler's hall, Linker building, corner of Fourth and Main streets, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

## Norwegian Lutheran

Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of Sixth and Division streets. Sermon, 10:30 a. m. Epworth league Rev. H. G. Magelsson, pastor.—Regular services.

## German M. E. Church

Corner Seventh and Ferry, J. L. Panzlau, pastor. Sunday school, at 9:15 in the morning. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. The Epworth league meets at 6:45 p. m. in the evening. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. The pastor will preach both in the morning and evening. Prayer meeting on Wednesday night. German school ever Saturday afternoon. Instruction in the catechism, German writing and reading given free of charge to all. The German public in general is cordially invited.

## Christ Church Episcopal

Christ Church Episcopal, corner of Ninth and Main. Rector, Rev. C. N. Moller; organist, Mr. Urquhart Cawley, B. A. Services for second Sunday in Lent: 8 a. m., holy communion; 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:45, morning service; Benediction, Brewer; Benedictus, Garrett; anthem, "Turn Thy Face," Sullivan. 7:30 evening service: Service, Stahler in A; anthem, "Savior, When Night," Stetley.

## Reformed Church

Corner Fourth and Market streets, F. W. Lemke, pastor. Regular services.

## German Lutheran Church

German Lutheran church, Twelfth and Cameron avenue, the Rev. J. T. Gamm, pastor.—Sunday, 10 a. m.,

ers in Colon and outline the advantages of going to Brazil.

His success was so marked that it was thought best to get him out of the country, and so he was deported. Just what ground the secretary of state will take is not known, but it is generally thought that the act did not in any way conflict with international treaty rights.

regular services, Sunday school at 9 a. m.

## English Lutheran Church

West Avenue and Ferry streets. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Chief service at 10:45 a. m. Prof. Schmidt of Red Wing will conduct the service.

## St. Paul's Universalist Church

Eighth and Cass street, Rev. J. S. Lowe, pastor. Preaching service at 10:30 a. m., subject of the sermon, "The Bible in Modern Life." This is the first in a series of Lenten sermons on some very vital topics. Sunday school at noon. Song service led by orchestra. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m.

## West Ave. M. E. Church

West Avenue near Jackson street, W. P. Cunningham, pastor. Morning worship, 10:30. Sermon subject, "The Workers in the Kingdom." Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Epworth League at 6:45 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon subject, "Laws and Life." Friday evening Mission Study Class.

## First Presbyterian Church

First Presbyterian church, King and Sixth streets. Rev. D. C. Jones, pastor. Morning service at 10:30; Sunday school, at 12 m.; Junior Endeavor at 3; Senior Endeavor at 6:30; evening service at 7:30, conducted Men's league.

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## OPERATE ON SENATOR SMITH

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 18.—An operation on Senator Wm. Alden Smith of Michigan for appendicitis was decided upon this afternoon by the attending physicians. The senator who has delayed the operation for two days, finally gave his approval. It will be performed by Dr. Louis Barth, of Grand Rapids, Mich. Senator Smith's family physician, assisted by Doctors McDonald and Morse of this city.

## MISS RIVES WRITES A NEW NOVEL

In "The Kingdom of Slender Swords," Her Latest Novel, the Author of "Satan Sanderson" and "Hearts Courageous" Gives Further Proof of Her Genius and Versatility.



HALLIE ERMINIE RIVES

For two years and more—in fact, ever since she married Post Wheeler and went to Japan to live, Hallie Erminie Rives has been busy with her pencil and note book writing her recent novel, "The Kingdom of Slender Swords." She has traveled from one end of the empire to the other, crossed the inland sea, seen the trial-by-fire and by boiling water, watched the famous jiu-jitsu wrestling matches, frequented native theatres and climbed Mt. Fuji. She has learned to understand the mystical tongue that has but 68 syllables. She has worn Japanese costume, and, save for the raw fish, acquired a taste for Japanese food. And all her eager impressions in this land of a thousand colors, this land of the cherry blossom, the plum blossom, the wistaria and the chrysanthemum, have gone down into the voracious notebook.

And now these impressions blossom again in her new novel, "The Kingdom of Slender Swords." That any American woman should have written it is astounding, so complete is its knowledge of the wise and witty, the brave and beauty-loving little people in the Kingdom Where the Sun Rises First. As wife of the secretary to the American embassy at Tokyo, Hallie Erminie Rives (to use her maiden name, which is also her nom de guerre) has enjoyed exceptional opportunities for acquainting herself with natives in all ranks of life, from the fascinating geishas to the great daimos. And she has taken full advantage of every opportunity.

"The Kingdom of Slender Swords" has just been published by The Bobbs-Merrill company, and is beautifully illustrated by A. B. Wenzell.—Toledo Blade.

## NORTON PRESENTS ANNUAL REPORT

At the annual meeting of the City Mission, which was held at the Congregational church Wednesday evening, E. E. Bentley, who presided, spoke highly of the services of Superintendent H. Norton, who succeeded Capt. A. M. Ivey in the work last September. He said that in Mr. Norton they had found the right man to fill the place and that the work was going forward in a very satisfactory manner.

C. F. Emery reported receipts of \$1,626.19, disbursements of \$1,584.87 and a balance on Jan. 1 of \$41.32. Of this income, \$1,349.29 was received from voluntary contributions, \$161.66 from lodging and board and the remainder from collections at the churches and at the Mission.

After the reports were heard, J. M. Holley, Sr., E. E. Bentley, F. P. Hixon, Dr. Laflin and Col. O. Holway were re-elected directors for a term of three years. Prof. Fowler was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the death of W. W. Collins and C. J. Felber was elected for one year. The directorate now consists of the following:

One year—W. W. Withee, George Marvin, H. Hallauer, B. S. Steadwell, C. J. Felber.

Two years—C. F. Emery, Prof. F. H. Fowler, George Merman, D. G. Whyte, W. Lockman.

Three years—J. M. Holley, Sr., E. E. Bentley, F. P. Hixon, Dr. H. B. Laflin, Col. O. Holway.

Supt. Norton presented his annual report, which was in full as follows:

## Mr. Norton's Report

"When I assumed the duties of superintendent of the Union City Mission in the middle of September, the excellent foundation for future work laid by my predecessor, the Rev. A. M. Ivey, was easily apparent to the most casual observer.

"The lodging house feature was attracting a lot of people who seldom are reached by ordinary church influence and are rarely touched by the common mission, that is, the better class of tramps—the 'hoboes'—workmen with a wandering disposition, who are often in straightened circumstances but always self-reliant and possessing the ability under favorable circumstances to work out their own financial salvation.

"Coming here a stranger unacquainted with the work it took some little time to take full advantage of the opportunity in a reasonable time the gospel began to make an impression on the stranger within our gates, and the power that transformed alike the uncouth Galilean and the erudite Saul into men aflame with altruistic resolution, fired the heartsore wanderer with a decisive purpose to make their lives, with the help of Jesus of Nazareth, of some effect in the work of human redemption.

## Thirty-Five Tramps Stay

"Up to the first of the year 35 had decided to adopt the steady life and become followers of Jesus of Nazareth.

"As is usual in religious works in every walk of life there have been a few failures, but in no case has the failure to make good in their profession of faith occurred in the life of a genuine hobo. These people, whatever their lives may be, scorn the way of the hypocrite and will not in the hope of temporary gain undertake to deceive by false representations. Their decisions are sincere, their resolutions unshakable, and they have an unfailing trust in the power from unholy, the Gibraltar of their lives.

"But work among the 'hoboes,' while affording profound satisfaction to all with humane inclinations and pleasing to the most high, has not absorbed the entire activities of the City Mission. The missionary in rescue work cannot be circumscribed in his activities by set rules or unchanging regulations.

## Girls Rescued

"The superintendent found it necessary to undertake some rescue work among girls who are led into wrong. Two have been taken care of and provided with respectable situations. Our opportunity in this respect is enlarging daily and as soon as funds are forthcoming to establish a working girls' home, we hope to greatly increase the usefulness of the City Mission. We expect to establish some industrial feature in connection with our mission, so that the down and out tramp may be given an opportunity to earn his bread and board, and so relieve the people of the town from the importunity of the underserving.

"A visiting nurse has been kept in the field by the superintendent, making 150 visits. Three hundred and ten dinners were given out on Christmas day. Sixteen hundred one night lodgings in round numbers have been provided for. Four hundred of those have been free. One hundred and twenty-three men have been assisted to work. These have been furnished with room and board on credit. Forty weeks' board have been given to the needy.

## Fifteen Hundred Needed

"We have been greatly encouraged by the gifts of clothes, papers, books, etc. The Daughters of the Revolution, the Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church, and a society of ladies on the north side have entered into co-operation with us in different departments of the work. The W. C. T. U., the Young People's societies of the different churches, as well as many of the pastors have rendered material assistance in the religious work. We need more commodious quarters, with baths, cheap rates, etc., which can be provided at a rate within the reach of the most moderate salaried workman. We must have a horse and wagon, and should also have a cheap restaurant, where meals could be furnished in return for work as well as money.

"To carry the ordinary work of the mission we should raise at least \$1,500 for the coming year. For the enlarged work, twice that amount is necessary. The success or the failure

of the works in the future depends entirely upon the people of La Crosse."

At the close of the meeting Supt. Norton delivered an address on life in New York, illustrated by stereopticon.

## PRAIRIE DU CHIEN

The number of booster buttons being sold indicated a large attendance for the municipal improvement meeting to be held next Monday evening.

Miss Sophia Toubel of McGregor and Earl Hurlbut of this city were united in marriage Feb. 14. The young couple will reside in Mason City, Iowa.

Miss Ruth Hall entertained a party of young ladies Thursday evening, the guests including Mrs. C. C. Case, the Misses Margaret Paris, Hazel Savage, Alice Greene, Anne Douglas, Minnie Case, May Berry, Harriet Pinkerton, Josephine Viles of Chippewa Falls and Katherine Shea of Ashland.

Mrs. Werder of Minneapolis and Mrs. Watsky of Ashland are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Menges.

T. T. Sime of Ferryville is in the city on legal business.

Miss Patricia Garvey is visiting her sister Mrs. Dwight Chambers in Chicago.

J. E. Cray was in La Crosse Thursday to attend to some business matters, and to meet Mrs. Cray, who returned that day from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fuller of Elroy.

The Misses Minnie and Hattie Everett left this week for Albuquerque, N. M., where they will remain for several months.

Miss Helen Nugent has organized a music class in Ferryville.

Mrs. M. Hutchinson is in Chicago this week.

R. P. Dalton, president of the village of La Farge called on friends here Friday en route to La Crosse.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21, we open our splendid new Becker Twentieth Century Iceless Soda Fountain. We have secured the services of Mr. George J. Schott, who will have complete charge of our fountain. Mr. Schott was formerly with Guth of Chicago, New York and Philadelphia, and also formerly of the 'Plows' store of Chicago. More recently he has been with 'The Lorraine,' Detroit's most modern establishment of this kind.

With our sanitary equipment, expert service and best material money can buy, we invite your patronage.

O. J. Erhart  
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## THE \$100,000,000 BABY



MRS. ED McLEAN AND BABY

Mrs. Edward McLean and her five-weeks-old son, also a picture of the baby's royal crib presented by the late King Leopold of Belgium.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The only \$100,000,000 baby in the world so far as known is the five-weeks-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McLean. What the future heir to the fortune will do with the money is of course the merest speculation. He might easily buy government and city bonds, paying 3 per cent and have an income of \$3,000,000 a year for spending money. This income would be more than enough to build a Panama canal every two years. If he wanted to give away part of his money he would have enough for \$1 apiece for every man, woman and child in the United States and still have about \$20,000,000 left.

This boy has received many costly and beautiful presents, but among these none surpass the gold royal crib presented by the late King Leopold of Belgium.

path. Mr. Harold Vier had the misfortune of falling down with a tea kettle full of boiling water scalding himself badly.

Mr. Chas. Dodge has secured a position in W. H. Harrington's store as assistant clerk.

Mrs. Walter Duty and children of Houston are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mills.

J. W. Donehower is having a special sale.

W. Harrington made a business trip to La Crosse Friday.

## YOUNG MEN WANTED

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WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Few weeks required. Be your own boss. Can start shop with small capital or work \$12 to \$20 weekly. Good demand for barbers. Further information free. Moier Barber College, Milwaukee Wis. 1 21 tf

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Some save enough money while in the Navy to start in business for themselves. Others have stayed in thirty years, saved small fortunes, and retired on three-fourths pay.

Should you return to civil life, you'll find yourself an able fighter in the great game of life, for Navy physical training makes you strong, erect, athletic. And Navy life educates you by showing you some of the United States—may be some of the world; by throwing you into the company of educated officers and the young men; by teaching you a trade, perhaps, and by giving you much time for study. Four Navy years are better than four college years, many think.

Go to a Recruiting Office today. Have a private talk with the officers and bluejackets there. You'll find them glad to see you and ready to tell you everything. If you don't join that makes no difference. They won't urge you to. Go and see them today—not tomorrow—today. You'll be glad you did. Nearest Recruiting Office to you is P. O. Building, La Crosse, Wis.

If you can't go, write for a free booklet which tells everything about a bluejacket's life, in a simple, interesting way, and is full of pictures.

Just think what a small bit of trouble it is for you to get a pencil and post card and write for this small book. Then think what this small bit of trouble may do for you. It may put you on the road to your life's success. Don't put it off. You'll forget it if you do. Send for it now. Also send names and addresses of four or five boys you'd like to have join the Navy with you. We'll send them books, too. Bureau of Navigation, Box 185, Navy Department, Washington, D. C. 2 5 sat 2 26

\$50.00 MONTHLY and expenses to travel, distribute samples and address names. Write Silverton Co., G 71, Chicago. 2 19 19

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AGENTS—For dependable guaranteed automobiles; good commissions; liberal territory; attractive proposition to live ones. Automobile Clearing House, 240 Michigan Ave., Chicago. 2 19 19

\$100 A MONTH, \$60 expense allowance at start to put out merchandise and grocery catalogues; mail order house. American Home Supply Co., Desk 65, Chicago. 2 19 19

SIDE LINE SALES—We want high class salesmen to sell an article of exceptional merit, which we are just putting out; nothing better for the money; will sell like wild fire; pocket samples. References. Dept. C, Empire Art Co., Chicago. 2 19 19

GET A BETTER PLACE—Uncle Sam is best employer. Pay is high and sure; hours short; places permanent; promotions regular; vacations with pay; thousands of vacancies every month; all kinds of pleasant work everywhere; no lay-offs; no pull needed; common education sufficient. Find out how you can have a position guaranteed you by asking today for our free booklet 516. Washington Civil Service School, Washington, D. C. 2 19 19

HELP WANTED-FEMALE

WANTED—Girl for general housework, to sleep at home. 230 So. Nineteenth. 2 19 25

LADIES—Sewing at home making shields. Material furnished. Reliable women \$12 hundred. Stamped envelope particulars. Wayne Supply Co., Dept. 398, Detroit, Mich. 2 19 19

WANTED—Competent girl. 314 S. Fifteenth. 2 12 tf

WANTED—Wash woman at the Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 N. Sixth. 2 18 21

WANTED—Girls, Northwestern hotel. 2 18 21

WANTED—Competent girl to do second work. 401 South Twelfth street. 2 18 tf

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Billiard and pool tables and supplies, terms if desired; lowest prices. J. J. Snyder 206 Seventh street, Des Moines, Iowa. 2 19 4 19

FOR SALE—Furniture worth \$250, will sell for \$150. Bargain for any one going housekeeping. New phone 1054-M. 818 Hagar street. 2 19 21

FOR SALE—One gas range, 311 Main, over Fay Lewis' cigar store. 1 19 tf

FOR SALE—Two brick tenement houses, large lots, also store building with living rooms overhead. All located on Mississippi street. H. E. Rogers. 12-11-Sat tf

FOR SALE—Household furniture. 726 South 16th street. 2 17 23

FOR SALE—I am going to locate on a homestead in Montana about March 1, and must sell my farm of 80 acres, 40 of which are cleared, at a sacrifice. \$650 will buy it, which includes an incumbrance of \$150 due next October. Write at once for particulars to Lock Box 12, Melrose, Wis. 2 16 19

FOR SALE—Show case in first-class condition. Weis Book Store. 2 16 22

FOR SALE—Fox terrier pups for sale. Inquire 628 North Ninth street. 2 15 21

FOR SALE—At once, good real-estate in South Dakota; reason—sickness. Address H. S. M., Tribune. 2 14 19

FOR SALE—Big bargain; fine brick house, partly modern; can easily be arranged for two families; full lot, good barn. Leaving city. 1510 Market. 2 14 19

FOR SALE—Modern 8 room house; bath room, electric light, hot and cold water. A bargain. Call 411 So. Eleventh street. 2 14-10

FOR SALE—House; 1017 15th; 4; summer kitchen, barn. Price \$1,200. Call 1734 Perry. 2 5 tf

FOR SALE—Two lots 12x150, with two houses barn, etc. N. E. corner of Sixth and King streets. Paved on three sides. Easy terms. Dr. H. G. Miller. 2 10 tf

FOR SALE—Green bone meal at J. B. Knutson, Fifth and Market. 2 5 tf

FOR SALE—One of the best ridge farms in the town of Webster, Vernon county, of 200 acres; 125 under plow and can farm 170 of the 200. Two dwellings, barn, granary, corn crib and other buildings. Two fine springs within five rods of barn, something seldom found on ridge farms. One-half mile to school, five miles to LeFarge, and twelve miles to Viroqua. Entire farm fenced in and in fine shape. Can be purchased cheap if bought before April 1, 1910. Call or write, C. M. Clarke, LeFarge, Wis. 2 14 19

FOR SALE—A fine corner lot 75x150, five minutes' walk from normal school; very reasonable for cash. Address I. B., room 10 P. O. building. 1 26 tf

FOR SALE—Senator Dunlap strawberry plants and Cuthbert and Marlboro red raspberry plants. Calvin Grant, Dakota, Minn. 1 14 eod 4 1

FOR SALE—Good pianos. Price is right. A. Ruhoff, piano tuner. 10 9 tf

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FOR RENT—Large front rooms, all modern conveniences. Call at 129 South Seventh street. 2 19 21

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms in a modern house No. 524 South Sixth. 2 18 21

FOR RENT—Five room cottage. Inquire 719 N. Tenth street. New phone 811 M. 2 17 tf

FOR RENT—Cottage; light, gas, water; vacant March 1. Inquire 717 Division. 2 17 22

FOR RENT—A modern furnished room. Inquire 228 South Seventh street. 2 15 tf

FOR RENT—Cottage, \$5.00. Inquire 330 South 22nd. 2 12 18

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, city heat. 423 Cass. 2 11 tf

FOR RENT—A suite of rooms suitable for two or three young men. Apply at 331 North Seventh. 2 10 tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house. Apply Adam E. Forschler, 323 Main street. 2 4 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 326 Cass street. 1 24 tf

FOR RENT—Seven room house 1821 Charles. 1 31 tf

## MISCELLANEOUS

PLEASE ASK E. H. VOLZ about the Fourth. 1 24 1 mo

IF YOU HAVE any good income producing city property to sell cheap, give me lowest price and I will try and sell it for you. W. E. Walker, agent. Office in McMillan Building. 1 20 1 mo

## Business Opportunities.

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H. W. Barker's Cough Remedy made at Sparta, Wis. Write for valuable information. For sale by all druggists. 2 14 1 9

## Lost.

LOST—White Spitz dog; please return to 515 North Twelfth or call 3782 old phone. 2 19 tf

LOST—Lady's small gold watch, engraved L. J. D., and pin. Return to 1602 Charles. Reward. 2 18 24

LOST—Large round belt pin, blue head, between La Crosse hospital and street car. Return either Tribune office or Garder's Printing Co. Reward. 2 17 tf

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## Announcement.

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## BLIZZARD IN INDIANA

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 19.—Indiana is today in the grasp of the blizzard which has been raging for the past two days.

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## THE DAILY MARKETS

## FLOUR PRICES ADVANCE TODAY

Quotations Are 20 Cents Higher This Morning; Feed Prices Show No Changes

An advance of 20 cents was noted in prices on flour this morning, today's quotations being \$6.00 for Patent and \$5.80 for Straight. Feed prices were quiet, showing no changes.

## Fruits

(Quoted by J. C. Burns.) Lemons, 360 and 300 size. \$4.00

Oranges, navel. \$2.40 to \$2.85

Figs, Cal., 12 pkgs. .90c

Dates, Hallowell, per lb. .64c

Cranberries, Cape Cod. \$5.50

Cranberries, Wis. \$4.50

Sweet potatoes, Ill. \$3.50

Oysters, per gallon. \$1.00

Cabbage, bbl. \$2.50

Potatoes, bushel. .40c

Bananas, Jumbos. \$1.50 to \$2.00

Celery. .25 to .30

Onions, Red Globes, per lb. .24c

## Flour and Feed

(Quoted by the Listman Milling Co.)

Patent, per bbl. \$6.00

Straight, per bbl. \$5.80

## Mill Feed

(Prices do not include sacks)

Brass, per ton. \$24.00

Shorts, per ton. \$24.00

White middlings, per ton. \$26.00

Red Dog, per ton. \$30.00

## Cheese

(Quoted by Ice Cream & Butter Co.)

Full cream twins. \$17 1/2

Full cream daisies. \$18 1/2

Full cream Young Americas. \$18c

Full cream long horns. \$18c

Full cream brick. \$17c

Full cream limburger. \$16 1/2 to 17c

Full cream round Swiss. \$20c

Full cream block Swiss, (5 and 6 to box, weighing 25 to 35 lbs. each). \$19c

Creamery butter, lb. \$30c

## Grain

(Quoted by Thomas & Phalon)

Wheat. \$1.00 to \$1.10

Rye. .63 to .65c

Barley. .55 to .60c

Corn. .53 to .58c

Oats. .38 to .42c

## Livestock

(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs. \$8 to \$8.25

Dressed hogs. \$10 1/2 to 11c

Steers. \$2.50 to \$4.50

Heifers. \$2.00 to \$3.50

Cows. \$1.50 to \$2.50

Lambs. \$4.00 to \$5.00

Sheep. \$2.50 to \$3.50

## Poultry

Chickens. \$1.10 to 12c

Turkeys, lb. \$12 1/2 to 14c

Ducks. \$9c

Geese. \$10c

## Provisions

Lard, per lb. \$15 to 15 1/2c

Hams. \$15 to 15 1/2c

Shoulders. \$12 1/2c

Bacon. \$18 to 20c

Dry beef. \$17 to 19c

## Hay and Wood

(Quoted by City Scales.)

Hay, tame, per ton. \$12 to \$13

Hay, wild, per ton. \$7 to \$8

Wood, oak, per cord. \$5 to \$5.25

## Butter and Egg

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, lb. \$29 to 31c

Dairy butter, lb. \$20 to 25c

Eggs, firsts, per dozen. \$23c

Eggs, seconds. \$22c

## RETAIL MARKETS

(Quoted by A. B. Moll.)

Dairy butter, lb. \$32c

Eggs, strictly fresh. \$25c

Creamery butter. \$33 to 35c

Parsley, per bunch. .50c

Cabbage, each. .50c

Potatoes, bushel. .50c

Carrots, per peck. .20c

Green peppers, dozen. \$15 to 20c

Wax beans, lb. \$12 1/2c

Lettuce, 2 bunches for. .50c

Fresh mushrooms. .75c

Pineapples, each. \$15 to 20c

Head lettuce. \$15 to 18c

Shallots, bunch. .8c

Cauliflower. \$15 to 25c

Oranges, dozen. \$20 to 40c



# SPORTS

## LA CROSSE MAY GO TO STATE MATCH

Sixth Annual Basketball Match May Include the Local High School Aggregation

The La Crosse high school basketball team will stand a better chance of getting into the sixth annual Wisconsin High School Basketball Tournament to be held under the auspices of the Lawrence College Athletic association March 31, April 1 and 2, than ever before if the present plans of Coach Mark Catlin, of Lawrence, do not miscarry.

For several years the state has been divided into five sections, central, southern, western, northwestern and northeastern. Only one team has been admitted to the tournament from the latter three sections, two from the southern and three from the central, making eight teams in all.

Coach Catlin is of the opinion that the high school teams of the western part of the state have developed more in the last two years than in any other part of the state and if the records of the teams from that section prove he is right, the state will probably be divided into only four sections this year, the north-eastern section being consolidated with the central, and the extra place will go to the western section, thus permitting two teams to be admitted from that section instead of one, as in the past.

When the Wisconsin high school basketball tournament was first started six years ago by "Deacon" Koehler, then Lawrence's athlete director, who now holds that position with Denver university, the teams in the central and eastern parts of the state were so much faster than those of the north, west and south, that they were in a class by themselves.

But although the game has become faster all over the state than it was at that time, the western teams have developed faster than the others, as was shown last year when the Menominee team won the state championship, and if the records for the season, which are to be submitted by March 1, show the conditions are the same this year, the two best teams in the western section, in which La Crosse is included, will be admitted, and all expenses paid.

## DISSOLUTION IS BARELY AVERTED

Herrmann Threatens to Join American League, and 154 Game Schedule Results Yesterday

### SCHEDULES BY COMMISSION

Squabbling This Year will Result in Commission Making Schedules for the Big Leagues

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—The National League directors meet again this afternoon at the Waldorf-Astoria to continue revising the constitution of the league.

Every time the directors think of yesterday afternoon's session and realize how near they came to seeing the dissolution of the National League, they shudder. There can be little doubt that August Herrmann of the Cincinnati Reds; Barney Dreyfuss, of the Pirates; Dovey of the Boston; and Brush of the Giants, were ready at the drop of the hat to smash the National League into smithereens and affiliate themselves with the American League in a twelve club organization. These magnates are tired, they declare, of the continual wrangling in their midst and would like the peace and harmony that prevails the other big league.

It was Herrmann's threat to withdraw from the National League with Pittsburgh, Boston, and New York, and align with the American that brought about the adoption of the 154 game schedule. Angry at the internal dissension, Herrmann declared that he and the other three magnates would withdraw from the National and play among themselves until the American league had played a 120 game schedule. Then, he said, he was sure they would be taken into the American League.

In a flash Murphy, Ebbetts, Foge, and Robison changed their views and adopted the 154 game schedule instead of the 168 game schedule they had been voting for.

The chances are that this year's squabble will result in the National baseball commission, composed of Herrmann, president; Ban John-

## RAYMOND LEADS FOR CLUB'S CUP

Defeats Philo M. Gelatt and Now Has the Best Chance to Win President's Trophy

E. C. Raymond defeated P. M. Gelatt at the La Crosse club yesterday afternoon by a score of 126 to 69, eliminating the latter from the finals in the billiard tournament. Mr. Raymond is now scheduled to meet Dr. Mulford, the winner in Class C, and providing he wins this game, he will take possession of the president's trophy. Mr. Raymond now has the best lead in the finals and there seems to be small chance of defeating him, although there are a couple of combinations which may possibly do so.

Mr. Raymond was far behind yesterday when Mr. Gelatt was within a few points of victory but a magnificent burst of point-making, coupled with final nervousness by his opponent which caused him to miss many easy shots, gave Raymond the match.

son and President Tom Lynch, making the schedules for both leagues in the future.

Ban Likes Commission  
CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—President Johnson of the American League is enthusiastically in favor of the suggestion of President Lynch of the National League that the National baseball commission be empowered to draft all American and National League schedules hereafter. He declared today that this is exactly what he has been asking for for several years.

"I sincerely hope Mr. Lynch's suggestion will be adopted," he said. "I will be glad to meet Mr. Lynch, with Garry Herrmann, as arbiter, to draft playing schedules for one, four, ten or 20 years. That is the ideal way."

"For several seasons I have been trying to have the National League see the wisdom of taking the schedule out of the hands of committee, composed of club owners but the proposition was turned down."

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## MAHMOUT FAILS TO THROW CUTLER

Thirty Minute Handicap Affair Won by Latter; Fans Believe Him Better Than the Turk

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Charles (Kid) Cutler, a heavy-weight wrestler, elected himself as a champion possibility when Yussiff Mahmout, the Turk, failed to throw him in a thirty minute handicap bout. Wrestling fans who have seen Cutler on the mat, today declare they do not believe the giant Turk could put Cutler down in a straight match. This is the second time Mahmout has failed to pin Cutler's shoulders to the mat in a handicap match.

## THE CHRISTIAN: WHAT? WHY? HOW?

The all important questions relating to the real substance and process of Christian experience and life will form the themes of discussion for several successive Sunday evenings at the First Methodist Episcopal church. No more live and fundamental subjects can be found to command the attention of men, and it is Mr. Shute's desire to be of the greatest possible assistance to every one in getting at the real thought of God concerning these matters. The dates and themes are as follows:

Feb. 20—"What is a Christian?"  
Feb. 27—"Why be a Christian?"  
March 6—"How to Become a Christian."

March 13—"How May I Know that I Am a Christian?"  
March 20—"How to Remain a Christian."

## JIMMY ESSON TO WRESTLE GOTCH

Mahmout and Zbyszko Are Back Numbers; Scot Is Showing a Signed Contract

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Stanislaw Zbyszko and Yussiff Mahmout, who have been clamoring for a bout with Gotch, are at the foot of the class today, and Jim Esson, the young Scotch giant, is strutting around with a contract with the champion for the coveted match. Esson has been selected as the next man to take a try at Gotch and the bout has been set for Feb. 28. Chicago fans say Esson has now been in this country long enough to "get on to the tricks" and is probably the only one of the heavyweights who would have more than an even chance of making the champion take a fall.

## SHEPPARD ANSWERS PRO CHARGES TODAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Melvin Sheppard, the great middle distance runner, will be tried today on two charges by the National Military Athletic league, which is affiliated with the Amateur Athletic union. The charges are, "conduct unbecoming a gentleman," and "demanding excessive expense money," to compete in a match race in Philadelphia last December.

Little Jack Horner pulled a plum out of a plum pie. Those of us who live at restaurants generally find raisins.



Mark Smith And Miriam Nesbitt in The Traveling Salesman, La Crosse Theater Tonight

## STRAY GOOSE THE CAUSE OF MURDER

WEST POINT, Miss., Feb. 19.—W. J. Valentine, prominent planter, is dead, and John Johnson, also a wealthy planter, is dying as a result of the wanderings of one of Valentine's geese.

## No Matter

what Liver or Bowel medicine you are using, stop it now. Get a 10c box—week's treatment—of CASCARETS today from your druggist and learn how easily, naturally and delightfully your liver can be made to work, and your bowels move every day. There's new life in every box. CASCARETS are nature's helper. You will see the difference!

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The government is "absentminded" to the needs, until it is doubtful whether they can arrive before the outbreak occurs.

The Jagdipur district in India is supposed to be the result of the "natives" in the Bahr el Jebel, in the suppression of which the authorities have as yet made little headway.

"I am the Assassinator of Sorrow"—Bob Blake

## LA CROSSE THEATRE TONIGHT



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## FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25 MAY ROBSON, in The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary

## FAMOUS HORSEMAN AND JOCKEY



JOCKEY SHILLING AT LEFT, H. G. BEDWELL AT RIGHT

Wherever horse racing is in prominence this year, there is H. G. Bedwell and Jockey Shilling. Bedwell is carrying a string of 17 horses. He is spending most of his time at Juarez, Mexico, where he is interested in the new club.

Jockey Shilling is doing most of his riding. Shilling is E. R. Thomas, clever boot artist, who rode seasonally at Arcadia last winter and got into further prominence by quarreling with Thomas and stabbing him after the stable went east.

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### Its Immense Holdings of Stocks and Bonds

The American Telephone & Telegraph Company is one of America's stupendous enterprises. It is both an operating and a holding company. It owns a majority of stock in, and exercises a virtual control over, all the forty odd Bell Telephone Companies of the United States and Canada. It controls, by majority stock-holdings, the Western Electric Company—the largest manufacturer of telephone equipment in the world, and which supplies all the equipment used by the associated companies. On June 30, 1909, these holdings amounted to \$333,918,822.

### Another Great Source of Income

Aside from the Company's immense revenue derived from its holdings of the securities of the Associated companies, it derives a large income through its direct ownership and operation of all the long distance and toll lines which connect the Associated Bell System throughout the country.

### Property Holdings Valued at \$589,370,000

The holding of physical property amounts to \$589,370,000, and this exceeds all capital liabilities by approximately \$55,000,000. Yet this surplus of assets does not include the incalculable value of rights-of-way which years ago were acquired at cost of \$8,000,000, nor does it include franchises and patent rights.

### Its Stupendous Earnings

During 1908 the gross earnings were \$27,898,970, out of which \$12,459,186 was paid in dividends. The

report for the first 11 months, to November 30th, 1909, shows a large increase over 1908.

### A Remarkable Dividend Record

For the past 27 years the annual dividends have never been less than 7½%. The dividend rate now is 8% and has been such for the past three years. Contrast this rate with the 3% or 4% which savings banks pay and consider the enormous amount of assets which add stability and safety to the unusually large income.

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Dividend	Price	Net
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New York Central Railroad	117	4.27%
Pennsylvania Railroad	132	4.56%
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul R.R.	117	4.74%
Chicago & North Western R.R.	116	4.49%
Illinois Central R.R.	140	5.00%
United States Steel, Preferred	121	5.70%

### A Corporation Of and For the People

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## ICY ROADS MAKE DANGEROUS DRIVING

SPARTA, Wis., Feb. 19.—The fire department had a perilous drive to the chimney fire at the home of Mrs. Mary Evans yesterday morning on account of the icy roads.

The fire wagon slewed to such an extent that the driver and several of the firemen were thrown out, but luckily none were injured, one runner of the sleigh being torn off. The fire resulted in no damage.

### Install Owl Officers

A large delegation of Owls from La Crosse came to Sparta last evening to help in the installation ceremonies when the new officers of the Sparta "nest" were installed and a number of new members received.

The meeting was held in the new hall which is over the Unique Theater. The large lodge room has been thoroughly renovated and a scenic painter has brightened the walls with landscapes making the interior very pleasing.

The "Scenes in the Union Depot" was presented in the Armory last evening under the direction of Miss Luella Drake and with a cast of fifty persons including the local stars, Messrs. Trux, Burroughs and Richards.

### La Crosse Game Cancelled

Owing to a misunderstanding regarding the Armory the game between Co. L and the La Crosse Y. M. C. A. basketball teams had to be cancelled. The hall having been rented previously to the Royal Neighbors for the dress rehearsal for their play.

### The City in Brief

Fred M. Holden was in Leon, on Tuesday and Wednesday attending the Farmers' Institute. Thursday he went to Cashton to attend the institute.

The members of the high school class were entertained at the home of Miss Grace Wright in Bush Prairie last Thursday night.

Miss Della Merrill entertained a few friends at her home last Friday afternoon.

Miss Blanche Davis entertained a few friends at her home Friday evening.

The Literary Club met with Mrs. H. M. Newton, Wednesday evening discussing the subject, "The White Plague."

Miss Phoebe Matthews entertained a few friends at a "Taffy Pull" last Friday evening.

Miss Helen Huschka entertained a few friends at a Valentine Party last Friday night.

August Huntzicker of Bertha, Minn., and Jacob Huntzicker of Watertown, S. D., were Sparta callers last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray B. Graves are visiting friends and relatives in Milwaukee and Chicago.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll C. Ayers, Feb. 14th, a son. A welcome Valentine indeed. Congratulations.

Mrs. Clara Young of Rolling Stone, Minn., is the guest of Sparta friends.

Gilmore Gustad is in Milwaukee this week presenting his musical act at a vaudeville theater there.

Geo. Doxrud has returned to his home in Nelsonville, after a short visit with his brother, O. H. Doxrud.

L. V. Huschka has returned to Austin, Minn., after a visit with his family here.

Mrs. C. H. Sanborn of Swanton, Vt., was the guest of Mrs. Catherine McFarlane, for a few days.

Miss Alta Wolcott entertained a few friends at her home on East Avenue.

Miss Mamie Burcum has gone to Cashton to spend a few days with friends.

The St. Valentine's dance given by Company L Tuesday evening was well attended and a good time was enjoyed by all present.

William Ward, who is employed at the H. E. Protz Cigar factory on Oak street, had his hand quite badly lacerated Wednesday by its going through a window. His wounds

—the days are growing longer, but the days are growing fewer in which to buy Furniture, Rugs, Carpets and Curtains at our Big February Clean Up Sale. Better anticipate your household needs 10 days and save the price of that Easter surely want. We are almost ashamed big price reductions for fear you might bing you when we ask regular prices.

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Marriage licenses have been granted to the following recently: Arthur H. Meyer, Sioux City, Ia., to Emma S. Lenz, Tomah; Rudolph Kenke, Norwalk, to Grace M. Caldwell of Kalamazoo, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bartlett are entertaining Mr. Duvall of Nebraska for a few days.

W. M. Titus, and daughter, Dora of New York City are the guests of the Boyingtons at the Warner House.

L. D. Merrill was in Milwaukee this week as a delegate from Sparta chapter Royal Arch Masons at the Grand Chapter meeting, returning home Thursday.

Mrs. J. P. Reinhard and mother, Mrs. A. H. Colton have gone to Concord, Minn., for a visit with relatives.

Olaf Swenson of Pleasant Valley, came to the city Friday for a brief visit with O. H. Doxrud, who is recovering from his recent illness.

Mrs. Fred Middleman has returned to Marshfield, after attending her father, O. H. Doxrud, during his illness.

### PRESTON, MINN.

Walter Weybright found himself in this part of the state the last of last week, so he dropped in and spent Sunday with his mother.

A little son of Ed Engle was injured while coasting last Wednesday afternoon.

Henry Clark went to St. Paul the first of the week to attend a meeting of the Grand lodges.

Arrangements are being made for the Fillmore county fair. The dates, Sept. 13, 14, 15 and 16, were selected. All carnival attractions will be

on the fair grounds and they will not be lacking in number.

Mrs. H. S. Popple is slowly recovering from her operation at St. Francis hospital.

Misses Florence Kiehle left today for Portland, Ore. She will spend a few days visiting in St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Drake are visiting friends and relatives in St. Charles. Ray Wells is "tending shop" during their absence.

A little son of J. Garletz of this place was severely bitten about the face and head the other day by a dog.

The Huntley entertainers open a week's engagement at the Grand Monday.

Ben Rosenwald went to Grand Meadow on business Monday.

The Browning Public library is in receipt of an elegant revolving bookcase and history of the world from Roy Wells.

Miss Violet Klein spent Sunday at home.

Miss Fannie Ott went to Milwaukee Monday to do her spring buying and engage a trimmer.

Conductor Merwin enjoyed an over Sunday visit of his wife and son.

The date of the senior class play has been changed to March 4th instead of Feb. 25th.

E. P. Fifield is convalescing rapidly after his operation at Rochester, Minn.

Kelly's Harp orchestra furnish music for a dance at the Grand next Monday night.

Aurille, the Spring Valley architect, met with the building board Monday and submitted plans for the new Carnegie library to be erected here. They were declared excellent and a picture of the building as it will appear when finished is on exhibition in Gray & Thompson's office.

### YEOMEN CIRCLE GROWING FAST

Rowena Circle No. 2, Brotherhood of American Yeomen, gave the fourth of a series of public card parties in Nicholson-Scott hall Thursday evening. On account of Lent there was no dancing and no refreshments but a large crowd was present. Valuable prizes were given and were awarded as follows: First prizes, Mrs. Wagner, C. Ryan, second prizes, Mesdames Vondrashek and Boardman.

The next card party will be in two weeks.

The Circle will hold their regular meeting in Nicholson-Scott hall next Tuesday afternoon. On account of the popularity of the Circle and the number of members which attend the meetings, the circle will use the large hall in future instead of the reception room as heretofore. After the business session there will be refreshments and card playing for prizes of Haviland China. The Brotherhood of American Yeomen will hold their regular meeting next Thursday evening for members only. There will be no dancing but after a short business session progressive cinch will be played. The Green are again in the lead in the membership contest.

### CHAMP CLARK TO RE-OPEN THE TARIFF

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 19.—With democratic members of the house frankly admitting that they intend to get as much political capital as possible out of the situation, republican leaders are giving serious thought to the proposition of the president that there be a special appropriation of \$50,000 to make the publicity feature of the corporation tax effective.

Although Chairman Tawney, of



MISS GRACE MORSE WITH MISS MAY ROBSON AT HIS MAJESTY'S NEW YEARS WEEK.  
Miss May Robson, La Crosse Theater, Friday, Feb. 25th.

the appropriation committee, says the matter will come up in its regular course, the indications are that either the democrats or the insurgents will force the issue.

Champ Clark, the minority lead-

er, says when it does come up he will utilize the occasion to reopen the whole tariff question.

The insurgents are getting their heads together and it would not be surprising if one of their number would introduce a bill for the desired appropriation should the republican leaders fail to do so.

Predictions are being freely made here that congress in the end will not grant the publicity appropriation.

### Timely Interruption.

Mrs. Benham had just seated herself to work at a bit of embroidery that required particular care and attention, when there came a ring at the telephone. "I just know that's Mrs. Gummy," she said, as she laid down her work and went to answer the call. "Whenever I am unusually busy and haven't any time to spare she rings me up and talks to me by the hour."

She was right. It was Mrs. Gummy who was fully as talkative as ever. She began with a long story and when fairly in the middle of it the clock on the wall of the room began to strike.

"Wait a moment," interposed Mrs. Benham. "I can't hear you until this noise stops."

"What made that noise?" asked Mrs. Gummy, after it had ceased.

"It was only the clock," answered the patient Mrs. Benham. "You know it always strikes once or twice when we get to talking."

The conversation did not last long after that.—Youth's Companion.



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### A Judicial Expert.

The native with a stogie met the native with a pipe.

"Howdy, Zeb?" quoth the stogie native. "Hear 'bout th' fuss down to th' court house?"

"Nope," drawled the man with the pipe. "What was it about?"

"Why, Jim Simpson has been suing Abner Hawley for alienatin' th' affections of his wife, an' Judge Musgrove told th' jury to bring in a verdict of six cents' damages, 'cause he thought that was all the damage was worth to Jim. An' Jim's wife got mad an' threw a chair at th' judge, and he had her arrested an' put in th' cooler."

"But didn't th' judge go a leetle too far when he fixed her value so low?"

"Not at all, not at all. Y' see, he was her first husband."

### SERVE CAPIASES ON BURLEY POOL MEN

COVINGTON, Ky., Feb. 19.—Deputies were dispatched to serve capias on the twelve prominent members of the Burley Tobacco society who have been indicted by the federal grand jury for alleged violation of the interstate commerce act.

Yesterday officers of the society denied that intimidation had ever been exercised in controlling the tobacco output. Insisting that only "moral suasion" had been used.

Man doesn't really get wise until he has slipped a few times.

The extent of a man's credit often depends upon the success of his failures.

## DR. TURBIN

of Berlin, Germany, the expert Specialist and Surgeon, has visited La Crosse for the past sixteen years one a month, will again be in

LA CROSSE, WED., MAR. 2nd

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Weak and Diseased Nerves,

Weakness, Twitching, Jerking, Easily Excited, Worn-out Feeling, Weak, Aching Back, Lack of strength, Energy or Ambition, Poor Memory, Bashful, Restless at Night, Dependent, Consult me.

STOMACH TROUBLES—Pain in Stomach, Loss of

Appetite, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Bad Taste or Breath, Sick Headache, Bloating, Heartburn, Sour Belching, Spitting Up, Catarrh, Gas, Flatulence, Nervousness. Consult me.

HEART WEAKNESS—Fluttering, Skipping, Palpitation, Pain in Heart, Slight or

Disorderly, Swelling, Rheumatism, Throbbing in Chest or Extremities. Consult me.

CATARRH—Hawking, Spitting, Nose Running Watery or Yellowish Matter or Stopped Up, Sneezing, Dull Headache, Coughing, Deafness, Pains in Kidneys, Bladder, Lungs, Stomach or Bowels may be Catarrh. Consult me.

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Bryn Mawr Student Has an Accident.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—With the unusually heavy snow this winter the snow shoe craze has hit the athletically inclined students of Bryn Mawr for a few days it was either a case of snow shoes or boots and many preferred the Canadian and In-

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The accidents, as may be imagined, were many, though none was serious. The above picture is only typical of many campus scenes during the last three weeks.

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